





VENUS PRESENT IN WESTERN SKY

BRILLIANCY GROWS UNTIL IT REACHES MAXIMUM, MARCH 21

EVENING SKY DURING MONTH

Where and at What Time Different Planets and Stars Will Be Seen.

During the month of March Rock county's evening sky in the west will be notable on account of the presence of the planet Venus at the time of its greatest splendor. Its brilliancy will increase until it reaches the maximum on March 21.

Once in eight years at such times it may be seen in day time about 2 or 3 p. m. high in the southern sky, almost overhead. After the 21st its beauty will rapidly decrease and the planet will apparently vanish from the sky in the overwhelming light of the sun.

On April 26 it will pass between the earth and the sun, only to reappear as morning star in the eastern sky, rising before the sun and growing in brightness in the reverse order of its waning and disappearance, until attaining its greatest brilliancy as morning star, only to decrease again at this time, by passing beyond or behind the sun, and again becoming evening star. In olden times it was called Hesperus when evening star, and when morning star it was Lucifer. This planet, almost a duplicate of the earth in size, has been celebrated from the earliest times on account of its wonderfully white and brilliant appearance when at its best.

It was deified and worshipped by the ancient Greeks. Romans, and Phoenicians as goddess of love. It was sacrificed to by the young maidens of olden times, when spring time came with the bright sunny days and pretty flowers. It was loved by the simple minded shepherds of the Bible countries, who, no doubt, had watched and studied, as best they could, the rapid and amazing changes in its brightness, and also its rapid decrease and disappearance, neither of which they understood. These changes occur from the following causes:

Venus moves around the sun on a smaller circle than does the earth, also moves along its circle, or orbit, faster than the earth, and approximately in the same line, and in the same direction as the earth and all the other planets. Once in each revolution Venus must pass between the earth and the sun, at which times its dark, or shadow side is turned toward us. When we first see this planet as evening star it is coming toward us from beyond the sun, and is so far away and appears so small that we scarcely give it attention. Its illuminated side is turned toward us then. If seen with a telescope it will appear in shape like the moon a few days before "full moon." As the planet comes nearer it turns more and more of its dark side toward us, becoming more crescent shaped the nearer it comes. At the same time its lighted side looks much larger in diameter and the horns, or cusps, much farther apart than a few weeks before. The various phases presented by Venus were first observed by Galileo about 1610 or 1611, although Copernicus at an earlier date had shown that these phases were a natural consequence of the planet coming in between the earth and the sun.

As soon as the planet has passed between the earth and the sun, its opposite edge will reflect the light of the sun to us; first as a slender crescent, like the waning moon, (which also passes between the earth and sun, but in the opposite direction) and increasing in reverse order as when evening star. The year of Venus is 225 days, but it takes 584 days ordinarily to pass from one inferior conjunction to the next one, because the earth is moving almost as fast as Venus and in the same direction. There are times when this planet comes directly in line with the sun, when passing from evening to morning star. It then appears like a black dot and moves across the sun's face in about two hours, from east to west. Such an event is termed a transit of Venus. The last one took place in December, 1874. The next one no grown person now living will witness, as it does not happen until June 7, 2004. The next year after that on June 5, 2012, then a long interval until December, 2117. They always occur in June or December, as at those times the paths, or orbits of Venus and the earth, if observed from the sun, would appear to cross or intersect the other. Then if the earth and Venus are both within a certain limit of these points of intersection of their orbits we will be able to see the planet cross the sun's face. As the year of each, (the earth and Venus) differ by 140 days and over, the transits can not occur often, for at times Venus may also be some 9 degrees south or north of the celestial equator. As 584 days are required for Venus to pass, twice between the sun and the earth, it will be readily understood that the place of the planet on its orbit will change progressively until it returns again to where the two orbits, as before mentioned, intersect. These transits of Venus have afforded astronomers the best means of determining the distance of the sun from

the earth, which is in round numbers 93,000,000 miles, and from Venus to the sun 67,000,000. As a star Venus is a convenient and useful tool for navigators in enabling them to find their longitude and latitude at sea.

The time of the daily rotation of Venus appears to be an open question. The surface of the planet is hidden so completely by its enormous atmosphere, densely laden with vapors, that there appears to be no markings by which to determine the exact length of its day.

When nearest the earth it is some 26,000,000 miles away, and it may be possible that at such times it may affect the distribution of the earth's atmosphere for a few weeks.

Its position in the sky will change quite rapidly each day, for it travels around the sun at the rate of 1,296 miles per minute, while the earth only travels 1,103 miles; so that Venus gains on the earth 193 miles per minute.

On March 6 or 7 Venus will pass to the east of Jupiter, about 5 or 6 degrees to the north, and on the 20th it will be at its most northerly place on its orbit. After changing to a morning star on April 25 it will become most brilliant again on June 1, rising then about 2:30 in the morning. As the morning atmosphere is usually more clear than in the evening, Venus becomes the most beautiful of all the celestial objects, so radiant with light as to make one think it an actual messenger from the sun to forfeit its coming.

Our moonlight evening in March will be from the 8th to the 23d. It is on the 6th new moon, first quarter on the 14th, full on the 21st, and last quarter on the 27th. The sun across the equator on the 21st, the same day as the occurrence of full moon, and spring begins. On March 31 the sun will be nearly 12 degrees farther north than on March 1. Its change from south to north is most rapid in March of any month. As the vernal equinox occurs on the same day as does the full moon, and the moon being nearest the earth on the preceding day, March 20, the March gales will likely be more severe from the 18th to the 23d than is ordinarily the case. On March 9 the moon, Venus and Jupiter will be closer together than in February. Jupiter will be 3 degrees north of the moon and Venus 5 1/2 degrees north of Jupiter, and altogether will, if weather permits, be a most interesting spectacle.

The constellation will be more favorably seen during the first half of the month, while the moonlight is not yet strong enough to obscure the fainter stars. We will find that all of them rise and set two hours earlier than last month. Orion is still the most conspicuous of all. It is rapidly moving toward the southwestern horizon, and will disappear in the flood of sunlight late in April. Directly overhead the sky of March is free of bright stars for quite a large space. Auriga, Centaur, Leo, the Great Dipper, and the little one, Perseus, Cassiopeia, Pegasus, and the Milky Way, all together, form quite a strongly marked boundary for this open space. It is interesting to note the array of bright stars in the southwestern quadrant of the sky, as compared with those in the southeastern quarter, which appears quite deficient in stars of all magnitudes. In fact, there is a wide expanse of nearly open sky this month extending from south-southeast to north-northwest, crossing Cassiopeia, and the "milky way" in the northwestern sky. Why the brighter stars should "colonize" in various parts of the sky, leaving large tracts only sparsely dotted with stars of small magnitude, is a question of keen interest to astronomers.

Do all stars attract each other according to mass and distance, or do some stars repel the others, as if negatively electrified? Who can say? They are far, far away; the means at hand for ascertaining facts from them so limited, time so fleeting, and the earth's atmosphere so vexatious, that it is a matter of wonder to learn of the results which astronomers have so far accomplished quite to their satisfaction.

Let us now refer again to the constellations. To the east of Castor and Pollux and half way to the east, quite conspicuous, as it stands quite alone. The bright star Regulus forms Leo's fore foot, and the next brighter star (Denebola) the extremity of his tail. A little in advance of Leo is the fine cluster of stars, Praesepe, which is visible to the unaided eye. It is in line with the bright star Procyon and Leo's head. This cluster viewed with the aid of a telescope, is an object of great beauty, and will be a good position for observing for several weeks to come.

Procyon is now well up in the southern sky just across the milky way from Sirius, though farther north than the latter. It is a first magnitude yellow star with a distant orange colored companion which seems to be variable.

Castor and Pollux are interesting double stars. Castor is claimed to be the finest double star in the northern skies. The components are of nearly equal size and color and only five seconds apart. They revolve around each other once in 252 years. Pollux is a triple star, the colors of the components are orange, grey, and lilac.

Orion seems to offer the best field for double and multiple stars with various colors; nebulae, and nebulous stars of any equal area in all the heavens. The constellations of Hercules, Bootes, and Virgo are rising in the northeast and east, but are yet too near the horizon, so we will leave them for later mention.

FEBRUARY NOT AS COLD AS JANUARY

AVERAGE TEMPERATURE WAS PART OF DEGREE HIGHER.

COLDEST WEATHER OF YEAR

General Average 19.1; Maximum Average, 29.9; and Minimum Average 8.4.

With extremely cold weather during the first and middle portion of February and rather pleasant conditions during the last part, the month as a whole was cold, but not quite as cold as January, the general average for the first month of the year being 19.0; and for February 19.1. The thermometer during February registered colder weather than any time in January on several occasions falling to 22 degrees below zero, 19 other times and below ten a number of times. Warmer weather has also been experienced during February than was met with in January, the mercury rising to 49 Tuesday, 3 degrees higher than the warmest day in January and many times registering in the thirties and forties. The average temperature for February was lower than that of January and the average maximum temperature was higher. February's averages were 29.9 and 8.4 and January's were 28.6 and 9.13.

The sun has not refused to cast its rays, to make the weather more disagreeable. The majority of days, shining 17 and hiding 11. Though a number of storms have swept over the country the greatest amount of inconvenience on the railroads and like in general has not been the result of falling snow but more of drifting, snow having fallen on but six days of the month.

Conditions and Temperatures. Following is given a table showing the weather conditions and the average high and low temperatures for each of the twenty-eight days of the month:

Pleasant	18	2
Sunshine	23	14
Pleasant	23	8
Pleasant	18	4
Snow	30	14
Sunshine	26	9
Sunshine	23	12
Snow	20	12
Pleasant	22	11
Snow, a. m.; sunshine, p.	23	4
Snow flurries	27	6
Snow storm	24	2
Sunshine	28	12
Snow, a. m.; sunshine, p.	23	6
Sunshine	34	14
Cloudy	34	1
Pleasant	33	18
Pleasant	30	7
Pleasant	41	15
Cloudy	39	30
Cloudy	39	20
Cloudy, a. m.; sunshine, p.	42	30
Cloudy	40	21
Cloudy and rain	40	35
Pleasant	41	31
Cloudy, a. m.; sunshine, p.	45	16
Pleasant	46	16
Pleasant	49	26
Below zero,		

W. W. CLARKE IS AGAIN APPOINTED

Milton Man Will Serve Once More as Postmaster at Milton—Long Delay

President Roosevelt yesterday sent the name of W. W. Clarke of Milton to the senate for confirmation as postmaster. This appointment has been long delayed despite the fact that Mr. Clarke's term expired last spring and he was endorsed for re-appointment by a large number of Milton citizens and no one else had applied for the place. Congressman Cooper at that time held up the appointment until after congress had adjourned and Mr. Clarke was then given a recess appointment. This is the appointment which was just sent to the senate for confirmation.

NEW PATENTS OF MANY ARTICLES

Weekly Report from Washington as to the New Inventions Made Recently.

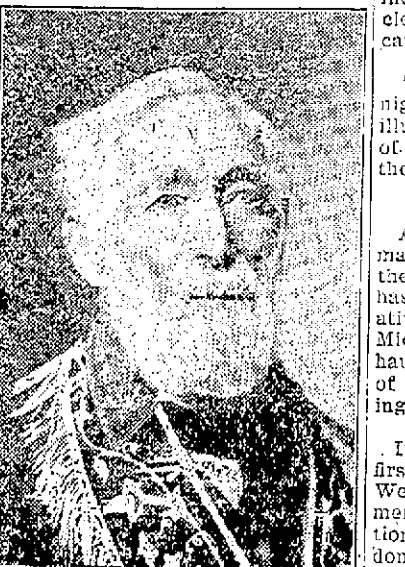
R. W. Bishop, patent attorney, Washington, D. C., reports the issue of the following patents on the 23d ultimo to residents of Wisconsin: 783,496. Attrition-mill grinding-disk-drawing apparatus. E. P. Aisted, Truesdell. 783,434. Rotary combustion-engine. Hans Holzwarth, Milwaukee. 783,437. Sleigh. Nils Johnson and Frederick Pearson, Star Prairie. 783,456. Folding leg. E. F. McKenna, New Richmond. 783,518. Water-meter. A. E. Gumz and A. W. Wingender, Milwaukee. 783,519. Legging. T. W. Hamilton, Berlin. 783,551. Fruit-jar. C. A. Speiss and J. C. Hein, Milwaukee. 783,581. Lace-paper top. John Hess, Milwaukee, assignor to Milwaukee Lace Paper Co., same place. 783,589. Game apparatus. J. B. Pennell, Neenah. 783,765. Duck-hunter's blind. J. T. Thorpe and George J. Schonauky, Marquette. 783,871. Tension device. Edward Lawson, Eldorado. 783,892. Trace-carrier. John Reichert, Racine. 783,900. Hydrant. W. L. Sellick, Dugston. Trade-mark. 44,242. For an anti-septic solution. F. W. Voelz & Bro., Appleton. The word "Formosol."

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VOLNEY ATWOOD IS GUEST OF HONOR

At a Banquet and Social Tendered by the Odd Fellows—Presented with a Badge.

Last evening members of Wisconsin Lodge No. 1, O. O. F., and Rebekah Lodge No. 26, again gave testimony of their affection and veneration for Volney Atwood—ninety three, but still young. A banquet at six o'clock attended by two hundred guests, was followed by a social good time and a program. Atty. Otto Oestreich, made a short congratulatory address and remarks in a similar vein were made by S. C. Burdham. Mrs. Winbiger sang a solo and the Misses Wright and Clark, a duet. Then came a reading by Mrs. J. P. Wright and a song by Mrs. Charles Schwartz, accompanied by Miss Schwarz, a piano. Mrs. Winbiger and Fred Nelson played an instrumental duet, piano and violin, and Miss Schwartz a piano solo. A congratulatory telegram received from N. C. Baker of Tampa, Florida, formerly shipping clerk for the Williamson & Hawes shoe factory in this city was read. During the evening Mr. Atwood was presented with a handsome badge.



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ON WITH THE DANCE IS THE WATCHWORD

Devotees of the Poetry of Motion Are Making the Most of Few Remaining Days Before Lent.

Knoff & Hatch's orchestra played at Central hall last evening for the last of the series of dances given by the Business Suit and Shirt Waist club. A goodly company of sixty couples were in attendance and a delightful evening was enjoyed by all. To Mesdames Howe and Murdoch is due much of the credit for the success of all of these parties. Mrs. Charles Young was surprised by friends at her home on Franklin street last evening. The guests came with large hampers of good things for the table and a merry evening was passed. Before departing they presented the hostess with some handsome table linen.

At a dance given by the Social club of the Southern Wisconsin Business college at East Side Odd Fellows' hall last evening. Roy Carter presided at the piano until the midnight hour.

Tonight the Bachelors' club, an association of twenty young men formed some time ago, will give the third of its series of informal dancing parties at the Christ Church guild hall.

A Cough will be quickly relieved by Rice's Cure for Consumption. 25c.

SEEKING MATERIAL FROM ALL AVAILABLE SOURCES.

High School Debaters Send to Northwestern University for Their Arguments. Members of the High School Debating team who will meet the Waukesha school trio in a discussion on the closed shop problem this spring are seeking material on the negative side from all available sources. Besides ransacking the Janesville library and spending two days in the Wisconsin libraries at Madison and writing to various publishing houses, they have now secured the arguments of the Northwestern University, the winner of the debate on the same subject, and defender of the negative side, between Chicago and the Northwestern Universities. Defenses of the closed shop policy are also studied thoroughly in order that the speakers may become acquainted with the probable arguments of the Waukesha team.

ZUELL FARM IN JOHNSTOWN PURCHASED BY ROY TAYLOR

Property Changed Hands For \$24,000—A Model Farm of 240 Acres. Roy Taylor has purchased the Willah Zuell farm in the town of Johnstown, for \$24,000. The tract contains 240 acres of cultivated land, improved by good buildings, and has long been known as a model farm. Mr. Taylor received \$100 an acre for the farm he formerly owned in the town of Johnstown.

HOME PAPER TELLS SECRET REGARDING LAVERN BROOKS.

(From Appleton Crescent.) Lavern Brooks, a Lawrence graduate, and for some time a teacher at the Blind Institute is now teaching English literature in the High School at Janesville. He is to be married soon.

Firmness Needed. A fireman on a Jersey Central locomotive climbed down on the pilot and knocked a man off the track when the engine got close to him. Tropping on the railroad tracks must be sternly suppressed.—Buffalo Express.

...LINK AND PIN... News for the Railroad Men.

North-Western Road Conductor York returned to work yesterday on the Chicago-Waterloo passenger after a few days' layoff. He was relieved by Conductor Leitz.

J. D. Evans, night operator at the passenger depot, has resumed his duties.

Engine number 749 is in the house for repairs.

At the present time traffic is exceedingly heavy, due not only to an increase in business, but also to the clearing of the partial blockade caused by the last cold snap.

Take a trip through Norway tonight at the Y. M. C. A. for 25c. The illustrated lecture is for the benefit of Miss Fagerness, who is very ill at the county hospital.

Railroad Brief Notes. According to the announcement made in railroad circles the traffic at the present time is greater than it has been for many years during a relative period. The Lake Shore and Michigan Southern road has been hauling on an average of 15,000 cars of freight each day since the breaking up of the severe weather.

It has been announced that the first steps to electrify portions of the West Shore railroad would be commenced within two weeks. The section on which the first work will be done lies between Frankfort and Herkimer, a distance of about four miles. When this work is in successful operation, work will be taken up between Chicago and Syracuse.

Labor Notes

The king of Spain is in favor of a fair wage for workers, and he wishes to ameliorate their conditions in his country.

The British Colonial Office has issued a statement with reference to the death rate per 1,000 per annum among the native laborers in the mines and works in the labor districts of the Transvaal, which shows that the average to August 4 last year was 39.94 against 72.03 in 1904.

From August, 1901, to August, 1903, twenty-nine trades-unions of Belgium paid in out-of-work benefits to their members over \$10,000.

Eugene V. Debs is succeeding in getting western railroad workers to unite so that one organization will include all classes of employees.

The Dublin (Ireland) Corporation recently decided to promote a bill in the ensuing session empowering them to award old-age pensions to their employees.

According to the last census returns for London, the female element in the tailoring trade is gradually ousting the male tailor, the figures being: females, 41,270; men, 38,504; the wages being for men \$10 when fully employed on the weekly wage system.

Planters in Mexico claim that imported Chinese labor is very unsatisfactory.

One of the latest proposals made for helping the small farmer in England is the establishment of credit banks. Where this system has been tried it has proved a success. In the congested districts of Ireland there are 77 agricultural banks, and these institutions are gradually extending their operations among the small landholders, for whose benefit they were established.

Real Estate Transfers

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School Children Are Willy. Under a new rule women inspectors visit the public schools of London and inspect the pupils. Those that are not clean are sent home. But already it has been found that some of the children smear themselves with mud before entering school, in hope that an inspector will pay a visit.

Meritorious Plea. A Los Angeles woman is seeking a divorce because her husband beat her when she tried to read her poems to him. The husband will probably defend the suit if he is wise enough to plead self-defense.—Washington Post.

Often The Kidneys Are Weakened by Over-Work.

Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood. It is used to be considered that only urinary and bladder troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all diseases have their beginning in the disorder of these most important organs. The kidneys filter and purify the blood—that is their work. Therefore, when your kidneys are weak or out of order, you can understand how quickly your entire body is affected and how every organ seems to fail to do its duty.

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The attitude of the Wisconsin Daily Press Association in appearing before the senate committee, on state affairs at Madison on Tuesday and arguing against the passage of Senate Bill 108, known as the Noble bill and also expressing their disapprobation of several assembly bills, introduced by Dr. Dinsdale is not to be wondered at. At the meeting of the association in Milwaukee on Monday night it was shown conclusively that the measures objected to were directly aimed to cripple the patent and proprietary medicine companies to the benefit and enrichment of the physicians of the state. It was suggested that what was sauce for the goose was sauce for the gander and that if the physicians were so anxious to have the patent medicines print their formulas on the outside of their bottles it might be well to have the physicians do likewise with their prescriptions so that the exact ingredients be known. It was the sense of the Press Association that these bills were vicious and aimed by a class to destroy what really belonged to the mass. At the meeting a story was told of a state where similar legislation was proposed and the newspapers retaliated by stating that if such bills become laws they would retaliate by printing the name of the physicians in attendance at every death notice printed. Bills of a similar nature, all tending to curtail the powers and freedom of the press, have been enacted in Michigan and are even now being tried in the supreme court as to their validity. Not only are the press vitally interested in these bills but the druggist themselves are also liable to suffer serious loss from the stopping of the sale of these patent medicines which would surely follow the passage of the law. It would seem that the local druggist would lose while the mail order houses would reap a rich harvest. The state press stands between the promoters of the bill and the people and in their fight for the people's rights should have their support in defeating the measure.

New York bricklayers who are to get 70 cents an hour for a twelve-hour day will not care if \$9-a-week clerks do pass them on the streets with a superior air.

How strange that the Swayne evidence should look so different to the impartial democratic senators from what it did to the impartial republican senators!

As Mr. Rockefeller's dividends this year will be only about \$50,000,000, it is unlikely that he will undertake any large philanthropies in Kansas just now.

That humane officer, Marshal Oyama, will continue to do his best to divert the czar's thoughts from the painful situation at home.

Grover Cleveland should be particularly careful to disclose stamps with anything he may send to Tom Watson's magazine.

Judging from the rate at which it progresses, Kuroki's latest "turning movement" must need oiling at the hinges.

It is raining shells at Mukden. And yet we are sometimes ungrateful enough to criticize our weather man.

John W. Gates, it now appears, did not want wheat as badly as he wanted people to think he wanted it.

Within a remarkably short time the politicians found a number of "good things" in the isthmian canal.

Rojestvensky has a vindication, but it is hardly one that he will frame and hang up in the parlor.

Reports from Manchuria indicate that the price of peace is going up every day.

Bulletins issued by the doctors of the beef trust declare that its pulse is normal.

Russian revolutionists may cut a melon in Georgia before the summer is over.

Kuropatkin should consider it lucky that his army has only two tanks.

## PRESS COMMENT.

Madison Journal: Senator Hatten invites the ideas of those who think they understand railroad regulation and he is getting them.

Superior Telegram: It is stated that a Paris lawyer is exhibiting his father pickled in alcohol. There is a fellow over in Minnesota who exhibits himself pickled in alcohol.

Kenosha News: The fight for the repeal of the five-day clause of the marriage license law is being made principally by ministers. Comment is superfluous.

Racine Journal: If Senator Hale feels better in relieving his mind so outrageously attacking President Roosevelt and belittling his country's navy, very good, only the little Americans rejoice in such a recruit.

Milwaukee Sentinel: "Bachelors and club men are the bandits, guerrillas and outcasts of society," says Dr. Benjamin Lee Wheeler. The doctor seems to be almost as elephantine a joker as Prof. Osler.

Chicago Tribune: The sugar trust never loses its presence of mind. Whenever it hears the hue and cry in some other direction it takes advantage of the occasion and takes on a little addition to the price of its product.

Milwaukee News: In asking the legislature to appropriate taxpayers' money to pay his lawyers in the state ticket case, Gov. La Follette has indicated that he is still convinced that God's poor have lost none of their sublime patience.

Chicago Record-Herald: "Uncle Joe" Cannon's rulings were twice reversed in one day. If this sort of thing goes on "Uncle Joe" may be sorry he used to get so mad every time he was mentioned for the vice presidency.

Oshkosh Northwestern: Say what you will about the beef trust and its greed and sinfulness—it is hardly likely that it is idiot enough to have 45,000,000 eggs in cold storage waiting for higher prices.

Exchange: A Berlin newspaper contains the following advertisement: "Wanted, for a first-class restaurant, shortly to be opened, a few well dressed gentlemen of elegant appearance and distinguished manners, to attract customers. Meals free, and commission."

Whitewater Register: Rabbits, driven out of their burrows by the thaw are disconsolate looking objects, as they are seen sitting on the crust. They are starving, as the deep snow prevents getting to the ground, and if they are ruining a few fruit trees, stop it by feeding them.

Neenah Times: The bill introduced a couple of weeks ago in the assembly to make mayors in cities of the second class members of the school board without power to vote, but vested with veto power, has been killed. And it was a case of justifiable homicide.

Kenosha News: Senator McGilvray stated a cold fact at the hearing on the capitol plans when he told the commissioners that no one had yet appeared before them on behalf of the people. Does the commission honestly believe that a majority of the taxpayers of the state would favor going into debt \$5,000,000 for a new capitol building?

Rockford Register-Gazette: "The bloody stains of Bryan's faithful foot" is the language used by the Honorable Ollie M. James, of Kentucky, in a recent speech in the house. It seems that Mr. Bryan must have lost his way and gotten out among the rocks and boulders instead of keeping within the confines of the regular Jeffersonian democratic road.

St. Croix Leader-Press: Judge Swayne, the case has shown, is a small man and his offenses have been those of a small man. He is not big enough to hold the honorable position he does, but once having it, he is not the man to do anything serious enough to justify his removal. He is not criminal or dishonest, simply little, and the senate could not take cognizance of that.

Clinton Herald: The Herald stands in a rather peculiar, though not in an embarrassing position, concerning the state superintendent candidacy, for when the publishers compared notes this week it was found that the senior member is for Prof. Carey, and the junior member for President Salisbury. Both are good men and the one who secures the nomination will receive the hearty support of the Herald.

Sheboygan Journal: While citizens of this country are sitting in the shade next summer, fanning themselves and drinking iced lemonade, or cooling themselves with large schooners of beer, some of our poorly paid United States senators will be wrestling with the railroad rate question. After the laborious session and the tremendous amount of work that is being finished by the senate it is too bad that any of the senators have to work overtime.

Philadelphia Press: "Lead pipe will keep your razor sharp," confided the garrulous barber. "Get a short piece of the smallest, softest lead pipe your plumber has in stock and keep it handy when you are stropping the razor. The scheme is to rub the stop with the pipe. Apply the pipe, just as you would stop the razor, to the unfinished side of the leather."

Strop your razor on that side, wind up with a few passes on the unfinished side of the stop and you will have a first-class edge on the tool. I never took the trouble to get a scientific explanation of the virtues of lead pipe as an aid to shaving, but it is all to the good in that respect."

## OLD TIME PLAYER IS NOW A GOLFER

John Ward, Who Played With The Mutuals in the Seventies, Now a Golfer.

It may be interesting to note that John Montgomery Ward, who at one time played baseball in a Janesville Mutual uniform and later became famous in the National league has now turned his attention to golf and has recently been elected president of a consolidated union of six of the wealthiest golf clubs in New Jersey. Mr. Ward is at present a practicing attorney in Brooklyn.

## NEWS FROM DIFFERENT PARTS OF THE COUNTY

Frank Stark Has Lucky Escape From Injuries in Bob Sleigh Wreck. At Orfordville.

As Frank Stark of Orfordville was driving across the railway tracks the sleigh tongue dropped, striking the rail and causing an accident. The speed at which he was driving caused himself and boys to be thrown high into the air. The sleigh was wrecked, but luckily Stark was uninjured.

Ira Inman of Orfordville received a letter from Yokohama, Japan, stating that the thirty-one head of Brown Swiss cattle shipped there for the Japanese government all arrived in good condition.

Archie Swan of Spring Valley is serving on the jury of the U. S. district court now in session at Madison.

O. W. Brubaker of Orfordville, in speaking of the tobacco handling this winter says that he has had in his employ for the past seven weeks twenty-three hands assisting the leaf and that it will require as many hands and as much more time to complete the work on hand. He is now handling 20,000 pounds each week.

The remains of the late George Haight, of Hanover, who died in the soldier's home in Milwaukee will be brought to Hanover for interment.

## EVANSVILLE

Evansville, March 2.—Mr. Johnathan H. Potter, died at his home in this city Wednesday morning, March 1st, of tuberculosis. The deceased was born in Canada, Nov. 6, 1847, and came to Wisconsin when a small boy. January 1st, 1873, he married Miss Nancy Meekins. Mr. Potter has acted as city clerk for the past four years and has faithfully discharged the duties of his office. He was a member of the I. O. O. F. He was a man who won many friends by his kindness. He leaves a wife and two sons, Elmer F. of Fox Lake, Wis., and Albert Ray of Minneapolis, Minn., and a brother, Josiah, and sister, Mrs. Victoria Boeve of Waterloo, Iowa. The funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the M. E. church. Rev. James Churn will officiate.

## ENGLAND HOLDS HER OWN.

Why the Number of Immigrants Here Is Smaller Than from Other Nations.

From 1783 to 1903 the entire number of aliens who came to our shores was 20,658,477. When this immigration began the United States had a population of about 4,000,000, which since then has increased what countries contributed most to this immigration, the answer would promptly be, Germany, Ireland and England. And this would be correct, for Germany furnished one-fourth of the immigration, Ireland 3,444,269 and England 2,729,937.

These figures, says the Kansas City Journal, with a few others, explain the reason why the primitive language, customs and laws of the United States have remained comparatively intact. The original 4,000,000 colonial Americans practically all spoke English, and they and their descendants have been assisted by the Irish and English emigrants above mentioned and 388,506 Scotch emigrants, and possibly by 1,050,483 Britishers from Canada, who all have been racially interested in preserving the predominance of the Anglo-Saxon tongue and its institutions.

So there have, in fact, been no more than 12,000,000 aliens to exert their influence against the established order of things. When they arrived they found provision made to prevent any change or disturbance. The government placed upon a stable foundation, had been so ingeniously planned that as a result laws and public proceedings were habitually written and transacted in English, and that language was the only one generally taught in the public schools. Furthermore, these 12,000,000 emigrants spoke various tongues, no one of which was able to compete in numbers with the English-speaking races. Consequently the newcomers, whether they intermingled with the older Americans or attempted to segregate themselves, all found it necessary eventually to adapt themselves to conditions already existing in the land.

The tendency of the emigrants has always been to locate in old settled parts of the country. This fact is especially noticeable to-day. It is the American of the original stock who has been the pioneer and frontiersman. He opened the wilderness for settlement, and when the emigrants moved slowly on they found that he had established his language, customs and laws as he went. America is now American for good. The immigration of recent years is not of as desirable a class as that of former times, but nevertheless there is not much danger that it will exercise bad influences to the extent which is so much feared.

Read the ads. Get the habit.

## CONTRACT GIVEN JANESVILLE FIRM

Williamson Pen Company to Furnish the State With Fountain Pens.

Secretary Edward V. Whiton of the Williamson Fountain Pen company has just returned from Madison where he secured the contract for a large number of the Williamson fountain pens to be used by state employees for the next two years. The award to the Williamson company is quite a plum in their cap, as they came into competition with all the large pen houses in the United States. The Williamson Pen company is rapidly forging to the front.

## CANADA AND HER RELATIONS TO US

Will Be Discussed Before the Social Union Club Tuesday Night—J. A. Craig Leader.

Next Tuesday evening the Social Union club will discuss the political, industrial, and commercial relations of United States and Canada and a very interesting session is anticipated. J. A. Craig will act as leader and as a preliminary to the subject proper Francis Grant will give a brief review of Canadian history. The commercial relations will be discussed by George S. Parker, the industrial relations by Fred P. Grove, and the political by Stanley Woodruff.

## FAILS TO NAME NINE REGENTS

Governor Has Neglected the State University—Many Regents Wanted.

The terms of two-thirds of the members of the board of regents of the state university expired Feb. 1 and Gov. La Follette has made no effort to appoint successors to any of them. The regents whose terms have expired are simply holding over under the terms of the law. Just why they have not been reappointed or successors to them have not been named by the governor is a state mystery. To leave the board of regents in such an unsettled state, it is pointed out, is likely to react upon the university itself. Gov. La Follette has it in his power to appoint as regents any day a sufficient number of men to dominate the board and the university itself. The regents whose terms have expired are ex-Senator W. F. Vilks, Madison, re-elected at large; H. C. Taylor, Orfordville, first district, expired in 1904; L. S. Hanks, Madison, second district, 1905; D. T. Parker, Fennimore, third district, 1904; Judge J. M. Perles, Milwaukee, fourth district, 1904; Dr. A. J. Puls, Milwaukee, fourth district, 1905; M. C. Mead, Plymouth, sixth district, 1905; Edward Evans, La Crosse, seventh district, 1905; Judge J. C. Kervin of Neenah, eighth district, is now justice of the supreme court. It is understood that he has resigned as regent.

## LAST VOLUME OF BAR ASSOCIATION RECORDS

Compiled by A. A. Jackson, Has Just Been Issued—Rare Pictures of Early Jurists.

Volume five of the records of the State Bar association, being a new edition of volume one and containing numerous reproductions of photographs and paintings of the early jurists of Wisconsin, was issued yesterday. A. A. Jackson who has compiled all of these books has spared no efforts to secure likenesses of the famous lawyers whose biographies are contained in this volume and these add much to the attractiveness of its pages. Rock county is well represented and the book is interesting to the layman as well as the attorney.

## WEATHER

Temperature last 24 hours taken from U. S. registered thermometer at Reims street's drugstore: Highest, 44 above; lowest, 30 above; at 3 p. m., 41 above; at 7 a. m., 33 above; cloudy; southwest wind.

## The Remedy.

Tramp—Madam, I am suffering from indigestion.  
Lady—Why, I'm so sorry! What can I do to help you?  
"You can cure me instantly by giving me something to digest."—Detroit Free Press.

## Awful.

"Love Affairs End in Marriage."  
The "new thought" daniel perused this headline with a shudder.  
"What a terrible end for a love affair," murmured she.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

## Sounds Possible.

"Our rubber plant is six feet tall."  
"Aren't you stretching it?"—Houston Post.

## Long Sentence—to Serve.

Col. Frank Beard, for many years a stenographer in the General Sessions court, was discussing with some of his colleagues the difficulties of reporting speakers given to the use of long and involved sentences. Illustrations were given from speeches of William M. Everts, Bourke Cockran and Phillips Brooks.

"Why," said Col. Beard, "none of them are in it with Judge James Fitzgerald, now of the Supreme court. I reported a sentence of his on one occasion which, I believe, is the longest on record."

"Can you remember it?" asked one of the party.  
"Why, certainly," said Col. Beard. "It was in the Schoenholz Freiburg case, and the words, as I remember them, were: 'Forty-eight years at hard labor in state prison.'—New York Times.

Royal Courtships.  
Every Christmas the Kaiser sends to King Edward the head of a bear, and the king sends the Kaiser turkeys and beef raised on the royal estate.

**Banish Blue Monday**  
and the disagreeable task of leaning over damp, leaky washtubs, by equipping your laundry with

**"Standard"**  
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Is there any reason why you should not have a modern Laundry in your home?  
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Opposite No. 1 Fire Station, Janesville.

## DANGEROUS MEXICAN WEEDS

Plants the Leaves of Which It Is Said Will Drive Men Insane.

Marihuana is a weed used by people of the lower class, and sometimes by soldiers; but those who make larger use of it are prisoners sentenced to long terms. The use of the weed and its sale, especially in barracks and prisons, is very severely punished, yet it has many adepts, and Indian women cultivate it because they sell it at rather high prices, says the Mexican Herald.

The dry leaves of marihuana, alone or mixed with tobacco, make the smoker wilder than a wild beast. It is said that immediately after the first three or four draughts of smoke smokers begin to feel a slight headache; then they see everything moving, and finally they lose all control of their mental faculties. Everything, the smokers say, takes the shape of a monster, and men look like devils. They begin to fight, and, of course, everything smashed is a monster "killed." But there are imaginary beings whom the wild man cannot kill, and these inspire fear, until the man is panic-stricken and runs.

Not long ago a man who had smoked a marihuana cigarette attacked and killed a policeman and badly wounded three others; six policemen were needed to disarm him and march him to the police station, where he had to be put into a straitjacket. Such occurrences are frequent.

There are other plants equally dangerous; among them the "tolvache," a kind of a loco weed. The seeds of this plant, boiled and drunk as tea, will make a person insane. Among some classes of Mexico it is stated that Carlotia, the empress of Mexico, lost her mind because she was given tolvache in a refreshment.

There is, in the state of Michoacan, another plant the effects of which upon the human organism are very curious. The plant grows wild in some parts of Michoacan, and natives have observed that whenever they traversed a field where there were many of such plants they lost all notion of places. For this reason, when a person reaches a place where there are many of these plants, he forgets where he is going, where the place is, and even where he is and what he is doing there. It takes from three to four hours for a person affected by the smell of the plant to recover the full control of his mental faculties.

Another very curious plant is the one called "de las Carreras" in some places where it grows. When a person drinks a brew of the leaves or seeds of the plant, he feels an impulse to run, and will run until he drops, dead or exhausted.

## WHY HE WAS SORROWFUL.

Story with a Chilly Finish of Love-making in Cold Latitudes.

The schooner Margaret had been cruising up the coast of Labrador, selling salt to the fishing settlements, and had finally put in at a far northern native village. Many of the people hastened to go on board, so encased and "bundled up" in furs that the sailors could hardly tell one from another. One of the number, a young man, sat about with such a depressed air that the sailors began to speculate on the cause.

"They all agreed that he was the most disconsolate-looking individual they had ever seen; for days they wondered what the matter was. Each one of them guessed, but all guessed wrong. They found out the sad story from a trader who visited them—a man who could speak the native dialect.

"Bill," said the captain to this trader, "there's a fellow sitting over there in the lee of the rail who is the sorrowful-looking human being I've ever seen. We all want to know what's the matter with him. Find out will you?"

The trader was obliging, and for half an hour he jabbered back and forth with the native; and occasionally Bill smiled, and once or twice he laughed. At last he came back to us.

"It's quite a story," he said. "This young man was in love with a girl, but her father was set against the marriage. In that situation it is a common practice round here to steal the girl. Most all marriages here mean a seizure and abduction of the bride, and so this young man prepared to run off with his sweetheart, no matter whether her family was willing or not.

"He got an outfit of dogs and sleds, which cost him a good deal of money, and one night he went to her hut and crept in. He didn't want her to cry out, so he stuffed something in her mouth and tied her up with ropes until she and her furs looked like a bag of meal. Then he tied her on the sleds and, rejoicing at his success, drove all night to get away from her father.

"When daylight came he stopped, untied the ropes and pulled the fur hood back from her face. And then came the sad part of the story. It wasn't the girl at all that he had stolen—it was the old man."—Youth's Companion.

## WISDOM, VALOR, JUSTICE, AND LEARNING CANNOT KEEP IN COUNTENANCE A MAN THAT IS POSSESSED WITH THESE EXCELLENCES, IF HE WANTS THAT INTERIOR ART OF LIFE AND BEHAVIOR CALLED GOOD BREEDING.—STEELE.

All vice stands upon a precipice. To engage in any sinful course is to run down the hill. If we once let loose the propensities of our nature we cannot gather in the reins and govern them as we please.—John Clifford.

We are always doing each other injustice and thinking better or worse of each other than we deserve, because we only hear and see separate words and actions. We do not see each other's whole nature.—Walter C. Smith.

Canned Birds from China. America is not the only country in the world that excels in canning meats and vegetables. At the St. Louis exposition was shown canned rice birds from China. These little birds are much like our own reed birds, and as they live in the rice fields, they become very fat and luscious. They are esteemed highly in China and are preserved with skill. Portugal preserves immense quantities of fish. Germany has made some interesting experiments in canning. One of these is called calorin, the name referring to the device whereby the vegetable or meat enclosed may be heated by puncturing the can. Two chambers inclose the inner can, one holding lime and the other water. The puncture permits the water and the lime to meet, and the slaking process which follows causes heat.

## Quite Evident.

She—And the reason you are so late getting home, you were struck by a trolley car?  
"Yes (hic) that's it, dear."  
"Were you frightened?"  
"No (hic), didn't even take (hic) my breath away."  
"No, I notice that!" —Yonkers Statesman.

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## 100 LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED—Young man about 19 to 20 years of age to learn business; one who is not afraid of work. Address in your own hand writing. "Responces," Gazette.

FOR RENT—Store 18 S. Main street, five E. basement, adjoining hard wood floor; water closet. Mrs. O. E. Jenkins, over store, Janesville, Wis.

CHAPS, windburn, blemishes healed by Satin Skin Cream, Satin Skin Powder (4 tubes) bestows satiny skin. 3c.

FOR RENT—My residence, modern in every respect; furnished or unfurnished. Mrs. Clinton Wilson, 8 East St., north.

LOST ON N. Main street—A wool lap robe; black on one side, yellow on the other. Finder please return to D. Bacc's grocery store. Reward.

FOR RENT—House on corner of Pleasant and First streets. Inquire of E. H. Peterson, Hayes Block.

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# FORMER RESIDENT BADLY INJURED

William. Lageman, Who Once Lived Here, Seriously Hurt in Railway Accident.

The many friends of William Lageman, formerly of this city, but now a resident of North Fond du Lac, Wis., will be pained to learn of the sad accident which befell him on Friday last at New London, Wis. Mr. Lageman, who is a conductor on the C. & N. W. railroad, was on his way to Antigo when the accident occurred. As he jumped from the engine he struck a baggage truck and was thrown under the wheels of the moving train. When help reached him it was found that the right arm was crushed necessitating amputation at the shoulder. He also sustained a compound fracture of the right leg. He was immediately removed to the hospital, where his wounds were dressed. For the first twenty-four hours his life was despaired of, but at the present time he has rallied from the shock and great hopes are entertained for his recovery. His sister, Miss Harriet, is with him at New London.

# MORE FIRE ESCAPES IS STATE'S COMMAND

Local Property Holders Receive Registered Mail Valentines from Factory Inspector.

Ninety days' notice to make certain changes needful to the fire protection of property were served on a number of people by Factory Inspector J. A. Britton of Milwaukee after his recent tour of Janesville. The valentines were sent by registered mail and advised a new fire-escape for the Knights of Pythias hall, repairs on the Grand hotel escapes and the posting of notices "This Way to the Fire-escape," an opening of the alleyways about the Marzluft Shoe Co. building, which are now blocked, a fire-escape on the following Withers block on East Milwaukee street, a new escape on the rear of the Hotel London, repairs on the Myers hotel fire-escapes and place signs, and a new escape for the Parker Pen Co.'s building.

# WEATHER WILL BE FAIR AND WARMER

Light Winds, But No Signs of Storms to Come Today or Friday.

Since Tuesday morning a moderate disturbance has moved southeastward from Manitoba to the North Carolina coast, causing local showers in lower lake region. Temperatures have fallen considerably from the upper Mississippi valley eastward. The weather will be generally fair Thursday and Friday. It will be slightly warmer in the upper lake region Thursday; and Friday. In Wisconsin—fair and warmer Thursday. Friday fair; light to fresh east to south winds.

# CURRENT NEWS NOTES.

**Bachelor of Arts:** George Holmes Brownell, upon recommendation of the University of Wisconsin faculty, was granted by the regents yesterday the degree of bachelor of arts.

**Starts on His Beat:** Robert Bear, the newly appointed patrolman, went out on his beat for the first time last evening, making the rounds in company with Officer Fanning from River street to the Five Points. He is thirty years of age, strong and active, and will undoubtedly make an excellent officer.

**With the Brewers:** Frank Aiken, of Janesville baseball player who is to pitch for the Milwaukee league team during the coming season will have to compete for laurels with the veteran Tom Dougherty and at least two other seasoned pitchers.

**Burnham:** Miss Violetta Peterson of Hondzod will speak at the Baptist church this evening on "The Powers of the Gospel in Burnham." She tells in an interesting way the story of achievements in the far east.

**Social at St. Peter's:** A reception and social will be given in the lecture rooms of St. Peter's English Lutheran church, tomorrow evening, Friday, March 3. After a short musical program and an address by Rev. W. K. Frick, refreshments will be served, followed by an hour of entertainment. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

**Rear-End Collision:** Street-car No. 10 crashed into one of its companion coaches on Milwaukee street at eleven o'clock this morning. The fender was broken and passengers received quite a shaking up.

**College Boys Here:** Ten students of Carroll college at Waukesha, including the basketball team, will arrive in Janesville this evening and remain here until tomorrow when they will go to the Line city to play the college. A quartette of these students will sing at the prayer meeting of the First Presbyterian church to-night.

**Much Honor:** In honor of the father of our country, George Washington, Tuesday evening the East Side Odd Fellows' hall, Ladies held their annual banquet, followed by a literary and musical program, which was highly entertaining and very instructive in participating. Dancing after the program was enjoyed by all until a late hour and all present voted the entertainment in honor of Washington's birthday a great success.

**Farmhouse Burned:** The farmhouse owned by F. C. Jenkins of this city and tenanted by Fred Decker on Mr. Jenkins' farm in the town of Harmony, a few miles east of this city, was destroyed by fire yesterday. Nearly all of the contents were saved and the damaged property was covered by insurance.

**Visit Blind School:** The ladies of the Order of the Eastern Star study class with their husbands will spend Friday evening at the School for the Blind. Carriages for the members residing on the east side leave the People's drugstore and for those living on the west side, King's Pharmacy, at 6:15 o'clock.

# TALE OF A COLT AND BASKET GAME

Is Told by H. S. Morgan on Witness Stand in the Municipal Court.

Did Ursol, Perez, and Stanley Downing of the town of Lima tie a bushel-and-a-half basket to the tail of a colt belonging to their neighbor, William Collins, on the 25th of December, causing said colt to career madly about the pasture, collide with a tree, and slide three rods on a barbed-wire fence, ending his rampage by falling dead with a broken neck? H. S. Morgan on the witness stand this morning, standing on his porch sixty rods away he saw the cruel deed committed and that he distinguished the Downing boys as the perpetrators. Two of them, he alleged, having caught the animal in the Downing pasture where it did not belong, held him by the nose while a third and perhaps a fourth party adjusted the basket to the caudal appendage. Then one fired a gun and the poor beast was off for the furthermost precincts of the pasture. He further testified that when Mr. Collins skinned the carcass of the dead colt he investigated and found that the neck was broken. F. H. Kiser of Whitewater, attorney for the young men, questioned the witness sharply as to the attire the boys wore and his method of distinguishing and identifying them. The examination was continued this afternoon.

# WALTON PYRE TO TAKE THE ROAD

Janesville Friends of Walton Pyre Learn He Will Head His Own Company.

Walton Pyre, who was at the Myers Grand recently with the Adolphus company in the "Taming of the Shrew" plans to take his own company out again this coming summer. The season ends in Philadelphia March 11, and Mr. Pyre will bring his company at once west to Chicago where rehearsals will be held and dates made. Mr. Pyre has many friends in Janesville and is a Rock county boy, having been brought up near Evansville. It will be remembered that last season when he was here Miss Fola La Follette was his leading lady.

# LODGE MEETINGS TONIGHT.

Janesville Chapter No. 5, R. A. M., at Masonic hall.  
Laurel Lodge No. 2, Degree of Honor, at East Side Odd Fellows' hall.  
Odd Fellows' Social and Beneficial club at East Side Odd Fellows' hall.  
West Side Odd Fellows' hall.  
Carroll Council No. 536, Knights of Columbus, at Assembly block hall.  
Car Workers' union at Assembly hall.

# FUTURE EVENTS.

"David Harum" at the Myers theatre Friday evening, March 3.  
Paula Edwards in "Winsome Wimple" at Myers theatre Wednesday evening, March 8.

# LATE LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

**Fresh trout and pike.** Taylor Bros. You may inaugurate a campaign of want advertising on a capital consisting of "loose change."

**Fresh trout and pike.** Taylor Bros. Chance now to get 3/4c a pound for your clear wiping rags at Gazette office.

**Fresh trout and pike.** Taylor Bros. The Gazette wants 500 lbs. clean wiping rags at 3/4c per pound be quick.

**O. N. Coon tobacco seed.** W. W. Nash.

**Fancy gillflower, spitzenburg, russett and greening apples.** Nash.

**Cranberries, 3 for 25c.** Nash.

**Clerks' mask ball, March 6th.** If you have any clean wiping rags, look them up and send them to the Gazette office at once; 3/4c per pound.

**The clerks' mask ball—last dance before Lent.**

**Might just as well have money instead of rags; bring your clean wiping rags to the Gazette and get 3/4c per pound.**

**Fancy Malaga grapes, 20c lb.** Taylor Bros.

**Kiln dried corn meal.** Nash.

**Corner Stone, the best patent flour on earth, \$1.50 sack.** Nash.

**I will meet you at the Retail Clerks' dance, Monday evening, Mar. 6.** We are selling all formerly sold from made suits which formerly sold from \$15 to \$18 for \$7.50, and \$20 to \$25 for \$10. C. P. Burns.

**A small lot of comb honey, 10c lb.** Taylor Bros.

**There will be a special meeting of Branch No. 60 of the Catholic Knights of Wisconsin this evening at 7:30 o'clock at their rooms to make arrangements to attend the funeral of their late brother, John Connell.**

**Hattie, the ten-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Gower of Hamilton street, who has been ill for several weeks, is now improving.** Janesville corn, 5c can. Taylor Bros.

**Crown patent flour, \$1.50.** Nash.

**MACHINE COMPANY IS OPERATING OVERTIME**

**Portion of the Force Working Time and a Quarter Each Day—Will Not Last.**

About one hundred of the employees at the Janesville Machine company commenced last evening working overtime and a quarter, twelve and a half hours a day. An extra rush of orders during the present busy season is responsible. This condition is not expected to last but about a week.

**Combination Market Sales Day** March 3, and second Wednesday of each month thereafter. Farmers' Rest, Janesville.

**May Show Again:** The amateur minstrels may decide to repeat their performance on the evening of March 17. It is reported that the receipts at the recent performance amounted to about \$325 and that the band proceeds for the band will be about \$150.

# A. A. JACKSON NOW HEADS STATE BAR

ELECTED PRESIDENT OF WISCONSIN ASSOCIATION

AT MADISON LAST EVENING

Janesville Attorney So Signally Honored Has Been Practitioner at Law Nearly Half a Century.

By the election of Alfred A. Jackson as president, at the annual meeting in Madison last evening, the Wisconsin State Bar Association honored itself, the man of its choice, and the city of Janesville. Mr. Jackson has been a practitioner at law since 1856, having been admitted to the bar of Wisconsin in April of that year. He was born in the town of Verona, Oneida county, New York, on August 8, 1831, and came west on August 18, 1851, and began his study of the profession in the office of Sloan & Patton and completing it under Sleeper & Norton. He was admitted to practice in the United States Supreme Court



ALFRED A. JACKSON

in 1868, the same year that citizens made him mayor of Janesville. Always a profound student of the law he has likewise been deeply interested in the domain of American history and has been a member of the Historical Society of Wisconsin and the American Historical Society for many years. His grandfather, Daniel Jackson, was a soldier in the Revolutionary war and was commissioned as an officer in the seventh company of 13th Connecticut militia May 16, 1794. The Janesville man was first president of the Rock County Bar Association and has held many important offices in the state association. For some years past he has served as a member of the state board of examiners which passes on the qualifications of candidates for admission to the state bar.

**Other Officers Elected**

The annual meeting ended with a banquet at Keeley's, the guest of honor being Judge Romanus Bunn who recently retired from the federal bench. Other officers of the association elected were: Vice presidents—first circuit, court district, Thomas M. Kearney, Milwaukee; second, Charles M. Oshkosh; fourth, L. J. Nash, Manitowish; fifth, Philo A. Olson, Darlington; sixth, Ray S. Reid, La Crosse; seventh, E. F. Brown, Waukegan; eighth, John W. Bashford, Hudson; ninth, John M. Olin, Madison; tenth, Orlando B. Clark, Appleton; eleventh, H. H. Grace, Superior; twelfth, B. R. Kirkland, Jefferson; thirteenth, Edwin Hurlbut, Oconomowoc; fourteenth, S. D. Hastings, Green Bay; fifteenth, C. A. Lemoreaux, Ashland; sixteenth, Neal Brown, Wausau; seventeenth, R. J. McBride, Neillsville.

**Secretary—C. I. Haring, Milwaukee.**

**Treasurer—John B. Sanborn, Madison.**

Chairman of committee on education—Prof. H. L. Smith, university.

Chairman of committee on publication—Ernest N. Warner, Madison.

The association adopted a resolution presented by Judge James J. O'Neill of Neillsville, endorsing President Noyes' recommendation that the state be made a party in default divorce suits and requesting the legislature to enact a law to that effect.

**Matters Discussed**

Other resolutions adopted approve of the recent action of the state board of university regents and the state supreme court, raising the requirements for admission to the bar, and request the governor to appoint a state commission, created by a law passed several years ago, to promote uniformity of the laws. At the morning session, Judge J. J. O'Neill read a paper in which he advocated the enactment of a law providing for non-unanimous verdicts in civil actions. Judge A. Lamoreaux read a paper along the same lines. On motion of Justice J. E. Dodge of the state supreme court the association decided to postpone action on the proposition until next year, and in the meantime take a mail vote of its members.

**Philippine Question**

At the afternoon session, Justice Emil McLaughlin of the supreme court of Iowa read a paper on "The Un-

written Constitution," in which he justified the attitude of the United States toward its colonial possessions. Prof. H. L. Smith of the university law school read a paper on "The Codification of the Law." He earnestly advocated codification, declaring that what was needed was to "wipe the slate of precedents." A new codification, the speaker said, would prove highly valuable at this time, when the lawyer was floundering around in the great mass of law literature and innumerable court decisions that were being poured forth.

# MANY INQUIRIES REGARDING MINE

President Russell Is Kept Busy Discussing the Fox River Valley Mine.

President Nelson J. Russell of the Fox River Valley Lead and Zinc company said this afternoon that much interest was being shown in the mine he represents and that he expects all of the stock he has on hand to be subscribed for before the sale closes on Saturday. The report of the staff correspondent who visited the mine

# THE NUZUM CASE IS NOW SETTLED

The Noted Suit in Brodhead Has Been Settled Out of Court.

The damage case of Paul Panckhurst vs. Drs. Nuzum and Sutherland, tried in the Nuzum county court last October, in which the plaintiff was awarded judgment to the amount of \$10,000, has been settled by mutual consent of both plaintiff and defendants. Pledition for a new trial was to have been made in the Rock county courts on the fourth of the ensuing month, but upon agreement settlement was made before the petition was argued, the amount agreed upon being \$5,000. Dr. Nuzum company, and policy in a malpractice company, and a portion of the amount will be met with the value of the policy. Other suits pending against Dr. Nuzum have been withdrawn, and the matter has been finally settled. This case was bitterly fought for the defendants by E. P. Vilas of Milwaukee and for the prosecution by T. L. Fisher, Charles Pierce and William Smith of this city.

# THEATRE BOOKINGS FOR PRESENT MONTH

Some Excellent Attractions Are Coming—Musical Comedy, Drama, and Vaudeville.

Bookings for the month of March at the Myers theatre are as follows: "David Harum," Friday evening, the 3d; Paula Edwards in "Winsome Wimple," Wednesday evening, Saturday, the 11th; the Fane Stock Co., for the week of the 13th; Kyrle La Shelle's company in "Checkers" on Monday the 20th; Nixon & Zimmermann's company in "The Strollers" on Tuesday the 21st; "Uncle Josh Sprucey" on Thursday the 23d; Weber & Field's production of "Hoi Toi Toi," afternoon and evening of Saturday the 25th; Elmer Walters vaudeville company presenting two afternoon and two evening performances daily the week of the 27th. The Fane Stock Co. will open its season in Janesville and will come here the first of next week for seven days of rehearsal. This company is to carry its own band and orchestra and will have 25 people.

# Fresh Columbia River Salmon.....

We are told by experts that the best way to prepare, is to bring to boiling point, three of water, cook till done in fresh water. Also good baked or fried. When ordering kindly state whether you wish it sliced or not. Price, 15c lb.

# Silver Herring 7c lb.

A small sweet fish. Preferred by many. Price is low.

Halibut, 15c lb.  
Whitefish, 12 1/2c lb.  
Trout, 12 1/2c lb.

# Imported Mackerel

Very white, tender and sweet. Very superior to common shore mackerel. Fine for boiling. Price, 20c each.

# Elsie Cheese

New lot. Mild, rich and creamy. You should get acquainted with the Elsie flavor. Price, 20c lb.

# Small Sour Pickles

New lot. Strictly first quality; fine flavor, clear liquor. Price, 10c qt.

# Both Phones 9. DEDRICK BROS.

# NOLAN BROS. NEW GROCERY.

Our new store at 62 W. Milwaukee street, Corn Exchange, is equipped with all that might be desired in the way of provisions. Everything new and of good quality.

**A FEW QUOTATIONS**

Potatoes, per bu. 35c  
Baldwin or Greening Apples, pk. 25c  
Picnic Hams, per lb. 12 1/2c  
Bacon, per lb. 12 1/2c  
Good Salmon, large sized cans, each 10c; 3 for 25c  
Canned Peas, 7c; 4 cans for 25c  
Bread, per loaf 10c

# NOLAN BROS. 62 W. Milwaukee St. New Phone 172. Old Phone 4204

Buy it in Janesville.

# NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

J. W. Peters is in Milwaukee. J. T. Fifield is in Milwaukee attending the Lumbermen's meeting. Charles Clark of Chicago is visiting friends in the city. Mrs. J. S. Thompson, of Chicago, who has been the guest of Miss Emma Winans for three weeks, departed for her home yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Ziegler of Chicago are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Doty. Miss Lulu Cook of Chicago is visiting friends in this city. Edwin Mead left this morning for Chicago where he will spend a few days. John George has gone to Bozeman, Montana, and will take charge of the carpet department of a drygoods house in that place. Mr. Kummars has returned from Edgerton. Grover Parks was in Evansville, Ind. Mrs. M. R. Osborn entertained luncheon this noon. Mrs. Charles Cagle entertains at cards this evening.

It pays to read the want columns.

# THE FAIR

We have made a large purchase of a complete line of tin, copper, and galvanized ware, all of which have been marked with the characteristic Fair prices. To give you an idea of the reasonableness of the items we quote a few prices that usually command a higher figure for the same quality:

No. 9 Heavy Copper Boiler...\$2.50  
No. 9 Copper Rimmed Boiler...1.25  
No. 8 Copper Rimmed Boiler...1.10  
Flat Bottom Boilers, \$1 to... .90  
Heavy Copper Tea-kettles, Nickel Plated... .98  
10-gal. Cream City Milk Cans...2.30  
20-qt. Milk Cans... .35  
Galvanized Pails: 14-qt., 23c; 12-qt., 18c; 10-qt... .15

# THE FAIR

# FISH.

Smoked Bloaters.  
Smoked Halibut  
Smoked Finner Haddie  
Smoked Herring  
Salted Codfish  
Salted Salmon  
Salted Mackerel  
Salted Holland Herring  
Salted Whitefish  
Spiced Sardines  
Spiced Anchovies  
Spiced Herring  
Fresh Pike  
Fresh Pickerel  
Fresh Trout  
Fresh Whitefish

IT PAYS TO TRADE AT

# THE Lowell Grocery

South River Street.

# The Subject of MRS. HILLER'S Friday Lecture will be

# Breads and Rolls...

Single Admission  
35 cents.

# Cedar Valley Coal.

Since its first introduction into this city the sales have been phenomenal. People who use it told their neighbors about its good burning qualities.

The demand has been heavy but our six wagon service has enabled us to keep up with our orders.

# The Price is \$5.00

for a ton of 2000 pounds—a very low price for such good soft coal.

# F. A. TAYLOR,

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# When the Figures Blur

It's nature's warning that something is wrong with the eyes. Good eyes mean a living to most of us—and can't be neglected. An examination will show whether they are actually diseased or merely tired out. In either case we'll tell you the trouble and give you the glasses you need.

# S. A. KNOX,

who has been under the instruction of W. F. Hayes, the eye specialist, during the past ten years, and who has also graduated with high honors from the best optical colleges in the country, is a thorough, careful optician. He has relieved many stubborn refractive cases and can help your eyes. Mr. Knox may be consulted every day at F. C. Cook & Co.'s Jewelry store.

# FRESH FISH....

Fresh Pike 12c lb.  
Fresh Trout 12c lb.  
SALT FISH  
Salt Salmon 12c lb.  
Salt Mackerel 12c lb.  
Smoked Halibut 18c  
Red Salmon 2 for 25  
Oil Sardines 5c can.  
Imported Oil Sardines 15c a can.

A few of those oranges left at 10c a doz.

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will earn interest for you. Your old metals are only taking up valuable space. Telephone to us and we will call for them and pay a liberal cash price.

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Nice Ripe Bananas, 12 1/2c doz.  
Oranges, 12 1/2 to 15c doz.  
Strictly Fresh Eggs, 25c doz.  
Best Full Cream Cheese, 15c lb.

Fancy Brick Cheese, 15c lb.  
Fancy Whole Rice, 5c lb.  
Quart Jar Buckwheat Honey, 25c.  
Sour Pickles, 20c gal.  
Quart Jar Mustard, 15c.  
Crown Best Patent Flour, \$1.50.

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# A General Sporting News A

## New Champions.

**C. F. Conklin, New Amateur Billiard Premier--Bowden, Auto Record Smasher.**

Charles F. Conklin, the winner of the recent tournament in Chicago, which decided the amateur billiard championship of America, is a native of the Windy City. Conklin has long been "in line" for the championship title, owing to his defeat of many leading experts during the last two or three years, and he had strong backing throughout the entire tourney.

That Chicago should provide the champion in Charles F. Conklin is gratifying to western billiard enthusiasts.



C. F. CONKLIN, WINNER OF AMATEUR BILLIARD TITLE.

as an amateur champion has not been produced west of the Alleghenies during the yearly tourneys for the gold cup.

Conklin showed decisively his fitness to wear the laurel wreath, and all of his adversaries in the tournament are one in saying that his wonderful open table execution during the series of games easily entitled him to the first honors.

Few know what a handicap Conklin played under. He is a stereotyper on a Chicago newspaper, and during the entire tournament, except one afternoon, he put in his eight hours a day carrying hot metal and appeared at the billiard table in the evening with his hands calloused by hard labor and out-pointed his opponents, who put in their days and nights around the table in studious practice.

Conklin has been persevering in his struggle to win the title of billiard champion. He has journeyed to the east often to play for the cup, but his last career in his recent tournament match with Sigourney, the California expert, which settled the tournament, according to Conklin, was worth all the efforts he has put forth to gain the prize.

In only one other tournament, that won by Foss in 1902, has the average for the tournament equaled the 6.17 made during the twenty-eight games of the tourney just closed. Foss, by his great grand average of 12.13, raised the figures in the 1902 games to 7.57.

In the final match with Gardner Conklin averaged 9.33. Twice he reached the 60 mark, gaining a long lead in the sixth inning by a run of 64. Gardner approached the feat in his nineteenth turn at the table and pussed the champion, but Conklin came again in his twenty-eighth and assumed the lead with a beautiful run of 60, which Gardner didn't seriously threaten.

Conklin followed his 60 score with a string of 26 and after two misses elicited off 7, which put him within one point of the game. Gardner ran 11 and missed, and Conklin by a great round the table shot, characteristic of his wonderful execution during the entire tourney, made his last career and



H. L. BOWDEN, NEW HOLDER OF MILE AUTO RECORD.

captured his third prize of the tournament, the special prize for high run having fallen to his lot as well as the first prize. The score:

Conklin—5, 2, 0, 2, 2, 3, 5, 6, 4, 0, 2, 7, 0, 0, 11, 3, 1, 0, 0, 2, 1, 1, 4, 3, 5, 0, 1, 9, 22, 60, 26, 0, 3, 7, 1—total, 390. High run, 61. Average, 9.33.

Gardner—0, 3, 15, 37, 15, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 4, 0, 0, 2, 14, 65, 0, 0, 5, 20, 0, 3, 2, 23, 10, 5, 0, 0, 11—total, 222. High run, 62. Average, 7.57.

H. L. Bowden of Waltham, Mass., is known as one of the most skillful and daring automobilists in this country. His latest claim to distinction is his recent mile in 34.15 seconds at Ormond Beach, Fla. There he reduced W. K. Vanderbilt's record from 39 seconds to 34.15 seconds.

Mr. Bowden is reported to be anxious to go abroad in the spring to compete in the notable events on European racing courses.

## 1905 Turf Dates.

**Season Opens March 23 at Benning, D. C.—The Maryland Meeting.**

Followers of the running turf are looking with their ears to the ground listening anxiously for the fairly footsteps of gentle spring. They are waiting for the racing fray and for the "good things" that enable them to better the bookmakers with real spending money. The eastern racing dates are as follows:

Benning, D. C.—Thursday, March 23, to Saturday, April 2; thirty-four days.  
Aqueduct, N. Y.—Saturday, April 15, to Monday, April 24; twenty days.  
Jamaica, N. Y.—Tuesday, April 23, to Wednesday, May 2; ten days.  
Wednesday, May 2; Monday, Oct. 13, to Wednesday, Nov. 1; twenty-three days.



JOSEPH A. MURPHY, SECRETARY OF AMERICAN JOCKEY CLUB.

Belmont Park, N. Y.—Thursday, May 4, to Wednesday, May 20; Monday, Oct. 2, to Saturday, Oct. 14; thirty days.  
Gravesend, N. Y.—Thursday, May 23, to Wednesday, June 14; thirty days.  
Sheepshead Bay, N. Y.—Thursday, June 15, to Tuesday, July 4; Saturday, Aug. 23, to Saturday, Sept. 9; thirty days.  
Brighton Beach, N. Y.—Wednesday, July 5, to Saturday, July 29; Monday, Sept. 23, to Saturday, Sept. 29; twenty-eight days.  
Saratoga, N. Y.—Monday, July 21, to Friday, Aug. 25; twenty-two days.  
Buffalo, N. Y.—Saturday, June 13, to Saturday, July 15; thirty-one days.  
Fimble, Md.—Wednesday, April 13, to Saturday, April 29; ten days.

No fall dates have yet been assigned to Pimlico.

The Westchester Racing association, which conducted racing for the past ten years at Morris Park, N. Y., but which has now built a home for itself at Belmont Park, solved the situation by continuing its lease of Morris Park. It will retain its old leasehold this year, although racing at its new home.

The racing season of 1905 of course commences at Benning. There has been so little of the preliminary training talk which for weeks usually precedes the commencement of a season that no one except those directly interested has given more than a passing thought to the near approach of the new season.

Now, however, the racing dates have been made known to the satisfaction of every one but James Butler, owner of the Empire City (N. Y.) track, news concerning the training of the thoroughbred is the principal topic. The backward season, one of the worst in years, east as well as west, would appear to be adverse to satisfactory training, yet a year ago at this time, eight weeks before the Carter handicap was run at Aqueduct, there had not been much regular outdoor work done, the alternate freezing and thawing of the training tracks driving the men in charge of the horses almost to despair.

Thus far this year training is equally backward, the grounds having been dangerous for horses to walk on, and they have been confined to "shed work."

From day to day there should have been shipments to Benning. The sandy soil of this course was never more appreciated than it is in just such seasons as the present. In addition to the stables which may go from New York, those which have wintered at Washington, Pimlico and at points in Virginia will help to make good sized fields, with advantages all in favor of those now at the track.

When the Jockey club stewards awarded ten days to the Maryland Jockey club for its spring meeting at the famous old Pimlico track, there was much gratification expressed by Maryland turfmen. The meeting is set for April 19 to April 29.

Close study of these dates shows that, instead of conflicting with the Aqueduct meeting in its entirety, it will this year conflict with the Jamaica and Aqueduct meetings, a few days with each. The Baltimore meeting will follow the Benning meeting, but there will be a gap of five days, which will enable the Pimlico people to make all necessary preparation. There were 600 club members last fall who paid \$15 each for the meeting. This is regarded as an excellent showing for a race meeting with little or no pretensions to class as yet.

The Pimlico track will soon be sold at auction, but the sale will have no effect on the spring meeting. There is no doubt that the people of Baltimore are able and willing to support a high class meeting.

Joseph A. Murphy, who was recently named as secretary of the new American Jockey club, the organization which Edward Corrihan has formed in opposition to the Western Jockey club, is one of the strongest cards that organization has played.

Murphy is well known to horsemen, is a thorough master of the managerial end of the turf, and his work in the judges' stand has impressed confidence in his ability and fairness.

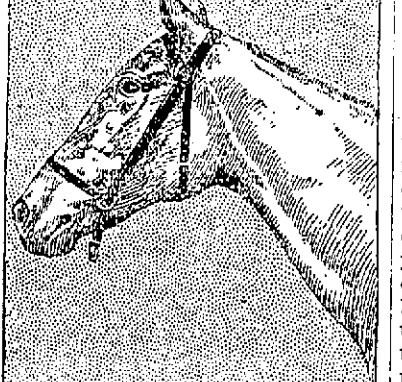
## Great Anaconda.

**Noted Double Gaited Racer to Be Again Prominent in His Career.**

Anaconda, after having been generally conceded to have reached the end of his career as a racing instrument, suddenly started the racing public as a trotter, and by going a mile at the diagonal gait in 2:00 1/2, taken in connection with his pacing record of 2:01 1/2, he acquired the distinction of being the fastest performer at both gaits in the world. Other horses have trotted faster than the gelding, and a few horses have paced faster, but no horse in the world has ever succeeded in performing so brilliantly at both gaits.

The great gelding has wintered finely and will be one of the principal competitors in grand circuit races during the coming season.

As a pacer Anaconda came just short of being a champion. He had a wonderful turn of speed, and as a race



ANACONDA, 2:01 1/2, "THE SNAKE HORSE."

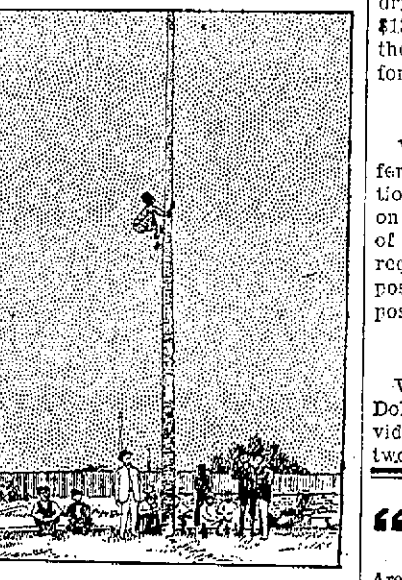
horse he always had to be considered any time he turned for the world. As a member of the stable of the late Thomas Keating this California product was a first class performer. At that time much of his work between races was under saddle. At times some of the drivers have been inclined to the opinion that he should be raced no other way. This was especially true one day at Hartford, Conn., when McHenry being in the west, three or four well known drivers tried to get the speed out of him. That day Anaconda persisted in scoring at a saddle gait and spoiled many a start.

McHenry was especially successful with the unsexed son of Knight, and many were the predictions when he passed out of his hands. Jack Trout, the successful New England trainer, was able to not only make Anaconda race well, but in a contest with Prince Albert at Brighton Beach, N. Y., in 1901 gave him his record of 2:01 1/2. After that Anaconda passed out of Trout's hands for a couple of seasons, and when he was returned to Trout last spring there was a feeling that "the snake horse," as he was called, would never again cut much of a figure on the turf. Trout did not say much, but after a few weeks of training evidently agreed with the public that Anaconda was all in at the pace. But he figured that at the diagonal gait the fast pacer would have a chance to win fresh honors, and in this the veteran trainer was not mistaken.

**ATHLETIC SAVAGES.**  
Basilio, a Filipino, who walks up poles and trees—Javelin Throwers.  
Some of the natural athletes developed in the wildernesses of South America and Africa are reputed to perform wonderful feats. James E. Sullivan, America's leading athletic authority, however, does not value their physical hardihood very highly. He says: "Yale's football team could whip a thousand savages."

In the accompanying illustration is shown a Filipino warrior climbing a pole in a sensational manner. His name is Basilio. He climbs poles and trees by simply walking up them in the manner shown to a height of fifty or sixty feet. Mr. Sullivan says this savage gave one of the most novel exhibitions at the St. Louis fair that he has ever seen.

"In only one sport do savages excel—climbing the pole," says Mr. Sullivan.



BASILIO, WALKING UP A FIFTY FOOT POLE.

Basilio, a Negroito from the Philippines, actually ran up a pole fifty feet high in 20 1/2 seconds at St. Louis. This to one accustomed to our slow white man's style of climbing will sound like an impossibility, but several expert timers took Basilio's record, and there is no room for doubt as to its accuracy.

"The man's feet were pressed flat against the pole, as if he were walking on a log lying flat. His body was bent far out from the pole while he clung on with his long, tank arms."

## DOESN'T WANT HAYTI.

**Secretary Hay Declares America Has No Intention of Annexing Republic.**

Washington, March 2.—The president is framing another message to the senate urging speedy action on the pending Dominican treaty. He is led to supplement the strong representations contained in his first communication by important developments, which, it is understood, relate to the possible action of European powers peculiarly interested in San Domingo, in the event of the failure of the treaty to secure approval before the adjournment of the extra session of the senate.

In answer to an inquiry Secretary Hay has formally assured the Haytian minister here that the United States has no intention of acquiring possession of Hayti or San Domingo. Secretary Hay says:

"In answer to your inquiry it gives me pleasure to assure you that the government of the United States of America has no intention of annexing either Hayti or Santo Domingo and no desire of acquiring possession of them, either by force or by negotiation, and that, even if the citizens of either of those republics should solicit incorporation into the American Union, there would be no inclination on the part of the national government, nor in the sphere of public opinion, to agree to any such proposal. Our interests are in harmony with our sentiments in wishing you only continued peace, prosperity and independence."

**Panama Canal Matters.**  
Washington, March 2.—The conference on the Panama Canal bill failed to agree on the main question of difference between the two houses, the abolition of the Isthmian canal commission. The senate conferees proposed as a compromise that the commission be reduced to three members. The house conferees declined this compromise, offering in lieu thereof a provision abolishing the present commission and authorizing the president to appoint a new commission of three members. The house committee of interstate and foreign commerce unanimously authorized a favorable report on a resolution prepared by Mr. Lovering of Massachusetts providing for a continued inquiry by the committee into Panama Canal matters during the recess of congress.

**Senator Alger Is Stricken.**  
Washington, March 2.—Senator Alger of Michigan was prevented from falling prostrate in the senate Wednesday afternoon by Senator Lattimer of South Carolina, who carried the general into the Republican cloakroom, where, Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire, a physician, applied restoratives. Senator Gallinger pronounced the attack acute indigestion. Gen. Alger was able in a short time to appear upon the floor of the senate, but he did not remain. He has never fully recovered from a surgical operation performed on him about two years ago.

**Mileage for Lawmakers.**  
Washington, March 2.—The house got into a struggle over an amendment to the general deficiency bill appropriating \$100,000 for the mileage of senators and representatives attending the second session of this congress. Mr. Underwood of Alabama declared the item illegal and improper, and Mr. Baker of New York said it lacked decency. Mr. Sherman insisted that the house had both a legal and moral right to make the appropriation, and was sustained by a vote of 90 to 79, after an hour spent in securing a quorum.

**Expenses for Federal Judges.**  
Washington, March 2.—The temper of the house regarding the Swayne impeachment verdict was shown when amendments were attached to the general deficiency bill restricting the \$10 a day limit for expenses of United States judges so that expenditures above \$5 a day shall be certified upon proper vouchers, with the further proviso that in case a judge presents a false claim for expenses he shall be fined not less than \$100, and imprisoned for not less than ten days.

**No Money for Rental.**  
Washington, March 2.—Fearing that long contests might endanger some of the supply bills, the senate committee on appropriations left out of the sundry civil service bill the item for \$150,000, the annual rental paid to the National City bank of New York for the custom house.

**Agree on Fortifications.**  
Washington, March 2.—The conferees on the fortifications appropriation bill have come to an agreement on that measure. The principal point of difference was a senate amendment requiring detailed estimates of proposed fortification work in the insular possessions.

**To Probe Railroad Rates.**  
Washington, March 2.—Senator Dooliver introduced a resolution providing for a joint commission of the two houses of congress to continue

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the investigation of railroad rates and report by bill or otherwise at the next session.

**Reservation Oil Leases.**  
Washington, March 2.—Secretary Hitchcock has sent to the house in response to a resolution the names of sublessees for oil on the Osage Indian reservation, together with forms of the original lease and subleases.

**Argue Railroad Appeal.**  
Washington, March 2.—Arguments were begun in the supreme court on the appeal from the circuit court of E. H. Harriman and others against the Northern Securities company.

**Ratifies Sanitary Treaty.**  
Washington, March 2.—The senate in executive session ratified the international sanitary treaty, and that designed to repress the trade in white women.

**Urges Dominican Treaty.**  
Washington, March 2.—The president is framing another message to the senate, urging speedy action on the pending Dominican treaty.

**Confirms Judicial Nomination.**  
Washington, March 2.—The senate confirmed the nomination of William H. Seaman to be circuit judge of the Seventh judicial district.

**Sign Extradition Treaty.**  
Washington, March 2.—Secretary Hay and Minister Coven signed an extradition treaty for the United States and Nicaragua.

**JANESVILLE MARKET REPORT.**

**Quotations on Grain and Produce for the Gazette.**

REPORTED BY W. A. RYON & CO.

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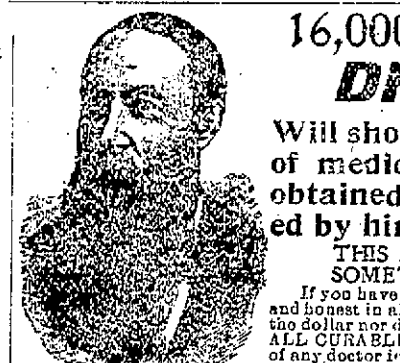
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Now, therefore, all persons interested in the subject matter of such improvement are hereby required to attend the common council, at a meeting thereof, to be held in the council chambers, in said city, on the 20th day of March, 1905, at eight o'clock p. m., when it will proceed to hear the allegations of the owners and occupants of the houses, lots and parcels of land required, and the real estate to be assessed for such improvement so specified as aforesaid, and make such further order in respect to such improvement as it shall deem proper.

By order of the common council.

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**OFFICIAL NOTICE NO. 13**  
**North Street Improvement**

Published by authority of the common council of the city of Janesville.

Office of the City Clerk, Janesville, Wis., February 21st, 1905.

To Whom It May Concern: Notice is hereby given that the city of Janesville proposes making improvements by extending North street, from the east line of block one, Rockport addition, to the west side of South Jackson street, as now laid out and platted in the fourth ward in said city, at an estimated expense of seven hundred and twenty (\$720) dollars, to be paid in whole or in part by an assessment on the following described real estate, in said city, to-wit:

Name of owners. Description.  
Estate of Daniel Connelly—Lot one (1), block seven (7), Rockport Add.

Joseph Connelly—The north one-half of the unnumbered lot lying east of block seven (7) of Rockport addition.

Catherine and Ann Craven—The west one-half of lots one (1) and two (2) in block one (1) of Rockport Add.

William H. Macdon—The east one-half of lots one (1) and two (2) in block one (1) of Rockport Add.

William H. Macdon—All except the south twelve (12) feet of lot one (1) of block three (3) of Railroad addition and a part of the unnumbered lot lying east of block one (1) of Rockport addition, being a strip of land about sixty-eight and three-tenths feet in width extending from Jackson street to the alley on the east side of block one (1) of Rockport addition and lying north and adjacent to the said proposed extension of North street.



# A ROSE OF NORMANDY

BY  
WILLIAM R. A. WILSON.

## CHAPTER I.

IN WHICH A PRISONER ESCAPES AND A SOLILOQUY IS INTERRUPTED.

The sun shone fair in France one bright June day in the year of our Lord, 1678, and the thirty-fifth reign of that Louis whom men called "Great." And nowhere was the sunlight fairer in the capital city, where the presence of a conquering and pleasure-loving monarch and his bewildering court attracted the bravest and gayest of all Europe.

The streets of Paris resounded on the self-same day to the prancing and pawing of war horses, the gay fanfare of trumpets announcing the return of a victorious general from the Netherlands, or the rumbling of the great coach of state as the king himself hurried on to take part in some fantastic dance or ballet at the palace, stopping, perchance, at the cathedral door to offer thanks with all true loyal subjects and join in some great "Te Deum" sung in honor of another battle won.

Amidst such confusion the ordinary affairs of life and state went on as though naught but the humdrum plans of a peaceful nation were afoot. People lived and died a natural death (occasionally); they ate, drank, and slept through it all. The dead were buried and the living blest, much the same as they had been since first the church spire and the dark-robed priest had superseded the old savage faiths. Even the millstones of justice (that is to say, the king) ground silently and with their accustomed fluency, while the ax, the rope, and the wheel did their kind work in sending prisoners of state to a country where lettres de cachet were unknown.

His most christian majesty believed in the deterrent effect the sight of the final act in the drama of a criminal's life had upon all good citizens. He likewise wished at times that his people, even those of the lower classes, should be amused. Accordingly he achieved these two ends by frequent public executions in the Place de la Greve. This, being a commodious square hard by the Pont Notre Dame, was well adapted to a large audience, while the balcony of the Hotel de Ville at its southern end afforded an excellent pedestal on which the king and the beauties and gallants of his court could show themselves whenever an execution of especial importance took place.

On the day with which this narrative opens the morning had worn away until the sun with vertical rays beat down upon the heads of the spectators. There had been three instructive and successful executions thus far. The first wretch was broken on the wheel, the second hanged, and the third torn to pieces by horses. The king and court party in the gallery had departed after repeated half-suppressed expressions of ennui at the end of this third act, and there remained but one poor devil of a nameless fellow to be dispatched by the knife.

A raised platform occupied the center of the square. About it was drawn up a double line of soldiers, some armed with halberds, others with muskets, who kept the people from crowding too near. From the scaffold a narrow lane was kept open by a company of archers to a cart, on which the condemned had ridden to the scene of their execution, and on which they awaited in silence their turn. Every other available inch was occupied by a dense mass of perspiring, jostling humanity, who good-humoredly enjoyed the scene, despite the heat and press.

It was to be noticed by a careful

observer that neither pity nor concern was anywhere manifested for the three already executed, even though one was of comparatively high rank. He had, in the collection of the taxes, made the fatal mistake of trying to cheat the king as well as the commons. But as the preparations went on for the dispatch of the fourth and last, an uneasy feeling spread about among the throng. Although few knew accurately his crime or even name, yet many felt him entitled to their sympathy because he was not a noble whom they could admire for his magnificence and hate for his selfish arrogance, but one of themselves, a man of the people, who for some unknown cause had incurred the displeasure of the king or one of his creatures.

On the outskirts of the crowd, not far from the cart on which the remaining unfortunate sat, stood a small group of spectators conversing in tones so low that the near-by soldiers could not hear them.

"What think you, friend Picon," said a muscular fish-wife to a swarthy butcher fresh from the neighboring shambles, "has it come about that M. le Ministre Colbert can arrest, condemn, and behead whom he pleases?" The man addressed scowled at the armed men guarding the prisoner, and muttered: "Devil take them!" Then turning, he replied in a low guttural tone, "They say yon fellow is no criminal, but has been hounded to the gallies and the Bastille, and from the Bastille to the block by the hate of my Lord Colbert."

Little by little the noon-time brilliancy faded away. Through it all the soldiers never faltered, but went steadily on with the preparations for the final execution. The prisoner had started up the human lane towards the scaffold. Halfway to his destination, he was halted while the lines of soldiery who had been driven together by the pressure of the multitude forced the people back. No one but the soldiers watched the prisoner, who, after a glance at the darkening sky, smiled grimly; then watched keenly the turn of events.

The light did not increase, but became more and more obscure, and that nameless terror which often seizes a great multitude and forces them to attempt to flee manifested itself. Only one more terrifying element was needed to change the assembly into a panic-stricken, stampeding mob. Nor was this wanting, for the wall of a building that was being dismantled on one side of the square, now occupied by a clinging crowd of spectators, suddenly fell with a crash and a great cloud of dust.

During the confusion, the prisoner, with an eye alert for any opportunity to escape, was partly torn, partly



HIS ATTITUDE WAS ONE OF DEJECTION.

dodged away from his captors, and was soon lost in the tumult. As he was borne along, he passed a herculean butcher and a fish-wife struggling in the jam. The latter, with a smile of satisfaction, ran the keen edge of a small knife over the cords that bound the fugitive's hands, and he was free.

High up in the most weather-stained of a row of gable-ended houses that overlooked the square wherein the above scene of terror was enacted sat a man. His room was on the top floor under the eaves, whose side walls were formed by the slanting roof. Two windows admitted both light and air; one of them opened upon the square, the other upon the Rue de la Tannerie. The only furniture besides the bed was a table, three chairs of rough wood and fantastically carved, and a small-sized cupboard, half wardrobe, that occupied most of the space at one end of the room.

On the table rested a glove and a sword, such as the gentlemen of the court wore, while a plumed hat lay on the floor where it had been carelessly dropped. The sole occupant of the room was seated in the largest chair beside the table. He was about eight and twenty, clad in an attire that proclaimed him to be at once the soldier and the courtier, and his clear eye and cheek bronzed by many a league of ocean wind and southern sun betrayed a man not long returned from active service. A little above the average in height he was, but straight-limbed and supple as a Grecian athlete; a man of muscle and sinew, yet without an ounce of superfluous fat. His long black hair clustered about his wrists as he sat with el-

bows upon the table, leaning his head upon his hands, one of which was gloved. Something more than the tan of sun and air darkened his cheeks, while the black eyes, the curved nostrils that expanded and contracted as he breathed, and the scornful lip, all proclaimed him to be other than a Frenchman.

His attitude was one of dejection and disappointment, yet in his eye was that inextinguishable glimmer of hope that lightens up the face of every true soldier after the first shock of a battle against great odds passes away. It soon spread, and from a glimmer it became a glow that overran his countenance, until he burst forth into a laugh, and, raising his head and leaning back, he spoke aloud to his sword, which he took up in his ungloved hand.

"Ma foi! mon brave, here we are at the bottom of the ladder again where we started ten years ago. What matters it, though? When the king needs us again, he will remember us. If there be an expedition against the Mediterranean pirates undertaken, it will be a summons for Capt. Henri de Tontil to attend his majesty's convenience for the purpose of fitting out and leading that expedition. And there will be a year or two of fighting, a wound, with a plaster to patch it up with when we return in the shape of another order on the treasury for 300 livres, and the promise of a place in the guards—and then, forgetfulness. Or perhaps 'twill be land duty against the half-drunk Dutchmen. Then it's powder and bang at a distance, and sword thrust and parry when we have charged the works, like this, *eu garde!*—or this—or that—or that—mon Dieu! avec mes compliments, Messieurs," and, springing to his feet, he fenced with an imaginary adversary, now parrying, now thrusting, until, ending with a fierce onslaught that pierced his enemy to the heart, he bowed mockingly and sat down.

"Ma foi! then it's powder and wig, slim waist and curved ankle when we return, for nothing pleases me more than to see again a Frenchman after a foreign campaign. Those stupid Dutch oxen, with their big eyes and clumsy feet, may please Mynheer, but—*custre!* none of them for me. What right have I, a battered soldier of fortune with neither penny nor power, to talk of women, or wigs, when I have but a single louis d'or between me and the street! Come, mon coeur, and let us face the situation. My rent is not due for a week come Tuesday; that will take half; with the remainder I can get bread and wine enough to last for that period. Dame! ten days are sufficient in which to conquer a province, marry a widow with fat money bags, or run into some lucky adventure that will give me gold enough to live like a prince for another month. But, pest! how dark it grows, and yet it is only midday!—and going to the window overlooking the square, he glanced anxiously about him. "Hal! another execution is afoot," he continued to himself half audibly. "Some petty noble who has displeased the king, or a poor farmer rebelling against Colbert's taxes. An eclipse too! 'Tis augurs well for me. 'Twas an eclipse that I watched just before my appointment as captain at Messina. Again, the shooting stars appeared the last night of my captivity after Libliss and warned me of my release. It means a change of fortune; and, as any change can but be for the better, I welcome its arrival. Mord! but the crowd is frightened; like the sheep I used to see outside Naples when a boy, as the thunder startled them from their grazing—Hal! they break through the lines of guards—Cor Dieu!—the prisoner escapes—he flees—what fools and cowards to go mad over a falling wall and a blinking sun."

And speaking thus he turned away from the window, threw himself down into a chair placed in front of the other casement, which he opened, and sat half dreamily watching the still darkening sky. He sprang up with a cry of amazement, as he saw the opening of the window suddenly obstructed by some opaque body. By the time he stood upright, this body resolved itself into a pair of human legs, that, after dangling a moment in the air, found lodgment on the sill, and before the young soldier could move or utter another sound, the figure of a man descended into the room and stood before him.

(To be Continued.)

**Settlers' One Way Second Class Rates to the Southeast.**  
Via the North-Western line, will be in effect on the first and third Tuesdays in January, February, March and April, 1905, to Kentucky, Florida and Georgia, North Carolina, Alabama and other southern states. For full information, tickets, etc., inquire of agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

**BANDITS HOLD UP AN EXPRESS**  
Car Blown Open in Arkansas and About \$2,000 Secured.  
Memphis, Tenn., March 2.—East-bound passenger train No. 203 on the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad, known as "the Arkansas Traveler," was stopped by three bandits eight miles south of Mammoth Springs, Ark., Wednesday and the express car robbed. The safe was blown open and all of its contents were secured. The train was signaled shortly after leaving Mammoth Springs by three men heavily armed. They entered the car of the Southern Express company and covered Messenger Harry White with revolvers. After rifling the safe the robbers made a dash for the woods and escaped. The amount of money usually carried on this train is not large. The robbers got probably \$2,000.

**Milner to Leave South Africa.**  
London, March 2.—Premier Balfour informed the house of commons that Lord Milner, the British high commissioner in South Africa, had to his regret announced that he would not remain in South Africa.

**Jay Cooke's Estate.**  
Norristown, Pa., March 2.—The will of Jay Cooke leaves everything, after payment of debts, to his heirs under interstate laws. It is believed the estate is worth several million dollars.

**Girl Freezes to Death.**  
Humboldt, Wis., March 2.—The body of Elvina Schneller, 13, was found near Neillsville. She had been frozen to death. She vanished from home on Jan. 9.

**New Indoor Pole-Vault Mark.**  
Ann Arbor, Mich., March 2.—Walter Fishlight, the Michigan pole-vaulter, vaulted 11 feet, breaking the indoor record, which was 10 feet 9 inches.

**Arrest Woman as Mail Robber.**  
Helena, Mont., March 2.—Mrs. Nellie Leary has been arrested at Oliver by United States Marshal Guthrie charged with robbing the mails.

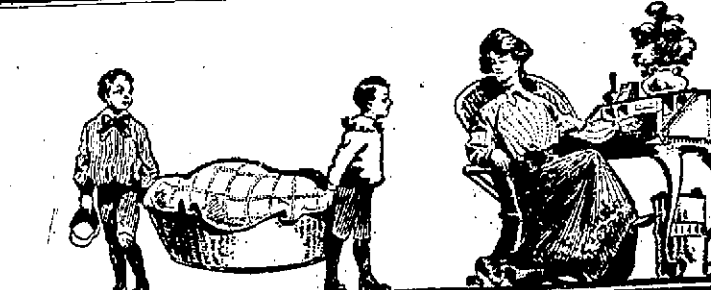
**J. P. Morgan Sails for Europe.**  
New York, March 2.—J. Pierpont Morgan sailed for Europe Wednesday on the Baltic. He expects to remain abroad several weeks.

**A NEW VARIETY OF OATS.**  
"Wisconsin No. 4" Has Yielded Large Crops, with High Percentage of Meat to Hull.

The Iowa experiment station distributed last spring to northern and central Iowa farmers several hundred bushels of an early white oat called "Wisconsin No. 4," which has given excellent satisfaction in Wisconsin, where it was first introduced. Its history is as follows: M. A. Carleton, cerealist for the United States government, visited Russia in 1898, and in northern Russia he saw a type of oats growing that greatly interested him. Its stiff straw, wide panicle and large kernel showed it to be a desirable quality of oats. He found on inquiry that it was an early maturing oat. It came from Sweden, and was one of the standard types of northern Russia. Mr. Carleton secured 20 bushels for the department of agriculture, listing it as No. 2788. A small quantity of this seed was obtained by the Wisconsin experiment station in 1899 and placed in a variety test of oats. By careful selection, Prof. Moore, the station agronomist, has developed a very desirable type of early oat well adapted to Wisconsin climate and soil conditions, and has named it Wisconsin No. 4. It is the most satisfactory one tested at the university farm. It invariably yields well, shows a stiff straw—therefore does not easily lodge—has a good-sized kernel with a light hull, and weighs usually from 36 to 40 pounds per measured bushel. It generally ripens in 90 days from seeding. It yields from 5 to 15 bushels more per acre than any other variety. Its high percentage of meat to hull gives promise of a good milling out.

**About the Wedding Dress.**  
A host of superstitions center about the wedding dress. Some stitches should be set in it by the bride herself on her wedding day—she should "sew her own joy in it." But the groom should never be allowed to see the bride in her wedding dress until he meets her at the altar.

**Artificial Foot for Dog.**  
Mr. William H. Beers, a wealthy New York broker, whose pet St. Bernard dog had its forefoot crushed by a car, has ordered an artificial foot made for the dog, regardless of cost.



**If you send your washing out**  
keep your eye on the method your washerwoman employs. Don't permit the use of rank, cheap soap that makes the clothes yellow and requires boiling to get out the dirt. An out of date washer will give the clothes more wear in the wash tub than you give them in actual use. Five bars of Peosta, cost 25c at any grocery store and they will do five large washings.

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**RAILROAD TIME TABLES.**

Chl. Mil. & St. Paul	Leave	Arrive
Kansas City, Ottumwa, Moline, Rock Island and Dubuque	6:00 pm	10:15 am
Ottumwa and Dubuque	6:00 pm	10:15 am
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	5:10 pm	10:30 am
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	10:35 am	6:40 pm
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	7:30 am	8:50 pm
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	5:30 pm	11:15 am
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	9:00 am	1:00 pm
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	6:00 pm	5:40 pm
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	9:00 am	1:00 pm
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	11:20 am	5:40 pm
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	6:00 pm	10:15 am
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	6:00 pm	10:15 am
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	11:20 am	1:00 pm
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	10:00 pm	10:15 am
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	6:00 pm	10:15 am
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	11:20 am	6:40 pm
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	5:10 pm	9:25 pm
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	10:35 am	2:00 pm
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	4:40 pm	6:40 pm
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	4:25 pm	10:25 am
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	10:25 am	7:25 am
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	1:10 pm	10:30 am
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	6:45 am	5:05 pm
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	10:35 am	5:15 pm
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	10:35 am	10:30 am
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	1:10 pm	10:30 am
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	8:35 pm	10:30 am
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	10:40 am	10:25 am
Chicago, via Lake, Dubuque, Rock Island, Moline, Car	6:30 pm	4:45 pm

\* Daily.  
† Daily except Sunday.  
‡ Sunday only.  
Subject to change without notice.

**Chicago & N. W.**

Leave	Arrive
Chicago	12:10 am
Chicago, via Clinton	4:40 am
Chicago, via Clinton	9:10 am
Chicago, via Clinton	7:40 am
Chicago, via Clinton	9:20 am
Chicago, via Clinton	11:40 am
Chicago, via Clinton	7:10 pm
Chicago, via Clinton	11:45 am
Chicago, via Clinton	7:20 am
Chicago, via Clinton	6:35 pm
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Chicago, via Clinton	12:30 pm
Chicago, via Clinton	8:00 pm
Chicago, via Clinton	3:15 pm

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**Very Low Rates to the Mardi Gras and Winter Resorts.**  
Via the North-Western line, on account of the Mardi Gras, excursion tickets will be sold to New Orleans on March 6, for trains arriving at New Orleans by noon of March 7, with favorable return limits. Excursion tickets are also on sale daily, at reduced rates, to the principal winter resorts in the United States and Mexico. For full information apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

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**A DIRECTOIRE SUGGESTION IN SICILIENNE**  
The new siciliennes that are intended for tailors' rather than for dressmakers' use lend themselves to the development of raincoat designs. The modes of Directoire period are especially pleasing in these, and the waistcoat is an indispensable adjunct. A light shade of tan has a bourette stripe of a darker one, and braid strapped silk of this tint is used for trimming. The waistcoat is on cloth, double breasted and untrimmed. Surplice rucks adjust the fulness over the bust, and the sleeve is made to run up to the collar, concealing the shoulder seam. The skirt portion is pleated back and front, darts appearing on the hip; and the pleats are stitched down flat halfway to the knee, and flare broadly from there.

### SENATE BALKS AT SUGGESTION

#### MR. PLATT RESENTS REQUEST

Statesman From Connecticut Becomes Sarcastic Over Mr. Roosevelt's Message Commending Report on Interstate Traffic in Cattle.

Washington, March 2.—President Roosevelt was given another mild rebuke Wednesday by Senators Platt (Conn.) and Hale for suggesting that the senate expedite business and pass a couple of specified bills.

The president sent a special message calling attention to two bills favorably reported from the committee on agriculture, prohibiting interstate traffic in cattle having contagious diseases. He said an excellent report had been made by the committee.

He urged that the senate take up these bills and pass them before adjournment.

Senator Warren called attention to the bills and the report, when Mr. Platt of Connecticut said:

"May I inquire if the report was made by the senator from Wyoming?"

"It was," said Warren.

"I congratulate him on the presidential comment that it was a very able report," sneered Platt.

Platt Breaks Away.

This is the first time Mr. Platt has ever been led to take a flag at the president, although many of his associates on the Republican side do it often. Mr. Platt led the fight for the amendment of the general arbitration treaties and has been regarded as one of the president's closest advisers.

Mr. Hale then took up the matter and said: "I trust that the committee that has these matters in charge, and for that matter, the whole senate will take notice of the admonition that this body has not been prompt and ready in passing legislation. I hope the committee to which this has been referred will consider this admonition and will, as far as it has any discretion left, and as far as the few hours of the session remaining will allow, bring this matter before the senate and endeavor, as I presume committees of the body do, to do its duty in the matter."

Danville Loses \$25,000 Plant.

The sundry civil appropriation bill was reported to the senate from the committee on appropriations. It carries a net increase of \$2,181,470 over the bill as it passed the house. The aggregate appropriations in the bill amount to \$67,473,350.

The senate struck out the appropriation of \$25,000 for the refrigerating plant at the soldiers' home at Danville, Ill. The District of Columbia is given the structural iron used in the government building at the Louisiana Purchase exposition for use in a permanent building for inaugural purposes should the plans for the erection of such a structure be carried out.

Center of Town Sinks.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., March 2.—A serious cave-in under the center of the town of Minooka, near here, has caused a depression in Cemetery street of five feet for a distance of two blocks.

Trap Gun Kills Man.

A. E. Chambers was killed at Santa Rosa, Cal., by a load of salt fired from a spring gun the owner of a cabin had placed at his door for the purpose of discouraging the visits of burglars.

**Little Use in Worrying.**  
Learn to take things as they are marked on the calendar of your life. Remember it is not to-morrow that you will live, but it is to-day that you are living. The affairs of yesterday are as dead as Julius Caesar, the affairs of to-morrow are mysteries which only to-morrow will unfold. Next week will be very much like this one, so let us not anticipate too much.

**Paid for Daughter's Opportunity.**  
That his 17-year-old daughter might get her chance on the stage, a well-known English stock broker guaranteed the whole of the expenses of a new production, conditionally upon his favorite being given, and trained, for the leading role. The venture cost him over £7,000, but the young lady has since earned a creditable theatrical reputation.

**Big Hairpin Factory.**  
The greatest of the world's manufacturing factories of hairpins is at Painswick, a village in the Stroud valley, at the foot of the Cotswolds. There are no fewer than three hundred persons employed in turning out these trifles of the boudoir, and hundreds of automatic machines are in constant operation transforming miles of wire into tons of finished pins.—London Engineer.

**Was Standard Oil Foe.**  
Asbury Park, N. J., March 2.—George Rice, for many years well known as an independent oil operator in the Ohio field and a bitter enemy of the Standard Oil company, is dead from an attack of the grip.

**E. O. Wolcott Is Dead.**  
Denver, Col., March 2.—The news of the death of former United States Senator Edward O. Wolcott at Monte Carlo was received here by Private Secretary Chisholm.

#### CHICAGO MARKETS.

**HAMMOND ELEVATOR CO.**  
From Everett & Edwards, Brokers, 204 Jackson Block, Janesville.

Chicago, March 2, 1905.				
Wheat	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
May	1 14 3/4	1 15 3/4	1 14 3/4	1 15 3/4
July	88 1/2	89 1/4	88 1/2	88 3/4
Corn				
May	47 1/2	48 1/4	47 1/2	48
July	48 1/2	49 1/4	48 1/2	48 3/4
Oats				
May	31 1/4	31 3/4	31 1/4	31 1/2
July	31 1/2	31 3/4	31 1/2	31 1/4
Rye				
May	12 1/2	12 3/4	12 1/2	12 1/2
July	12 1/2	12 3/4	12 1/2	12 1/2
Barley				
May	6 1/2	6 3/4	6 1/2	6 1/2
July	7 1/2	7 3/4	7 1/2	7 1/2
Hops				
May	6 1/2	6 3/4	6 1/2	6 1/2
July	6 1/2	6 3/4	6 1/2	6 1/2

**CHICAGO CASH LOT RECEIPTS**  
To-day. Contract. 25. To-morrow.

**NORTH-WEST RECEIPTS (Wheat)**  
To-day. Contract. 25. To-morrow.

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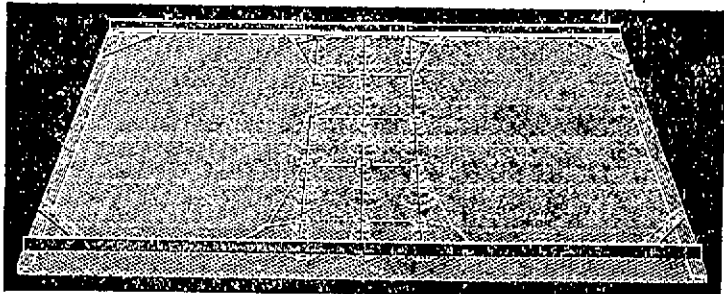
**PRICES:** Orchestra and first two rows Orchestra Circle, \$1.00; balance Orchestra Circle, 75c; first four rows Balcony, 75c; balance Balcony, 50c; Gallery, 25c.

SEAT SALE NOW OPEN.

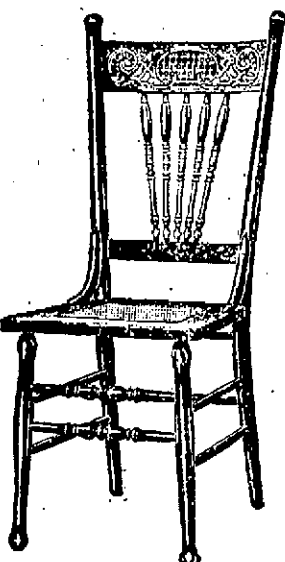
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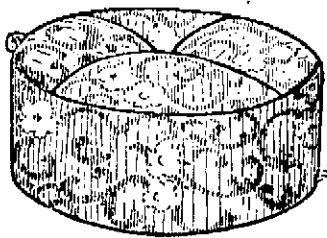


We have plenty of the solid oak chairs, like cut, at \$1.00 each, also the same in imitation oak at

84c.

Compare our prices with all of the catalogue houses, and if you find us the cheapest give us part of your trade.

We also have a few dozen Carpet hassocks, both velvet and body brussels, like cut. They are round, 12 1/2 inches in diameter, and well made, which we offer at 35c each



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### Carpets Are Up...

The manufacturers are asking much more for many grades of Carpets. While this does not always have the immediate effect of making retail prices higher, especially if one has a large stock on hand bought at old prices, it does necessitate asking more for carpets bought since February 1st.

### A Great Special Offer

We were lucky, bought about 50 pieces of the best Axminster Carpets with Borders to match, just before prices went up, for considerable less money than the regular old prices before the advance, so we are able to give customers all there is in it. These Axminsters are worth \$1.25 to \$1.35, but our Special Sale Price \$1.00 is only.....

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### Large Room Rugs

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Get in your Carpet Orders before the spring rush begins. You are apt to have to pay more later.